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ZNY-ARTCC-148
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ź	Anthony Palmieri (PI)	ZNY ARTCC	RA42	
Щ	Evanna Dowis (EV)	ZNY ARTCC	Area B Controller In Charge (CIC)	
Ž.	Paul Thumser (TP)	ZNY ARTCC	Area B Supervisor	
25	Bruce Barrett (BB)	ZNY ARTCC	Operations Manager In Charge (OMIC)	
4	Robert Felser (FR)	ZNY ARTCC	Military Operations Specialist (MOS)	
ATS	Michael J. McCormick	ZNY ARTCC	Air Traffic Manager (ATM)	314.HLB30
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13. SIGNATURE OF FACILITY CHIEF

Michael J. McCormick

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT

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September 20, 2001

ZNY-ARTCC-148

NAME OF REPORTING FACILITY

REPORT DATE

Boston ATCT (BOS)

14. CHRONOLOGICAL SUMMARY OF FLIGHT (including control or other services provided by ATS facilities, and emergency action taken.)

September 11, 2001

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- 1131 Boston Clearance Delivery transmitted via data link an IFR clearance to Los Angeles to UAL175.
- 1157 UAL175 called Ground Control ready to push back and received instructions to monitor ground point nine.
- 1158 UAL175 was issued push back approval.
- 1204 UAL175 called Ground Control One (GC1) ready to taxi.
- 1205 UAL175 was given taxi instructions to runway nine with instructions to hold short of four left (4L) by GC1.
- 1207 UAL175 was instructed to monitor Local Control West (LCW) frequency.
- 1208 UAL175 was issued taxi instructions to runway 9 and advised to monitor the Local Control East frequency.
- 1212 UAL175 was instructed by Local Control East (LCE) to taxi into position and hold on runway 9.
- 1213 UAL175 was cleared for takeoff runway 9.
- 1214 UAL175 was instructed to contact Initial Departure (ID).

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REPORT DATE September 18, 2001 ZNT-ARTCC-148

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NAME OF REPORTING FACILITY
Boston TRACON (A90)

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1214 – UAL175 reported in ID frequency climbing out of 1,200. ID radar identified UAL175 and instructed the aircraft to climb and maintain 14,000. UAL175 acknowledged the instruction.

1215 - ID instructed UAL175 to turn right to a heading of 210. UAL175 acknowledged the turn.

1216 - ID instructed UAL175 to turn right to a heading of 270. UAL175 acknowledged the instruction.

1217- ID instructed UAL175 to contact Boston Approach on frequency 127.2. UAL175 reported on SL frequency climbing out of 8,000. SL instructed UAL175 to fly heading 270. UAL175 acknowledged the instruction.

1219 - SL instructed UAL175 to contact Boston Center on frequency 133.42. UAL175 acknowledged the instruction.

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1. REPORT DATE September 21, 2001 T NO. ZNY-ARTCC-148

CCIDENT 3. NAME OF REPORTING FACILITY

Boston ARTCC (ZBW)

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- 1219 UAL175 reported on Boston ARTCC Sector 47's frequency leaving 11,700 feet climbing to 14,000 feet. Sector 47 Radar (47R) issued UAL175 a clearance to climb to FL230 and instructed the aircraft to proceed direct BIGGO intersection.
- 1222 47R completed a hand-off to Boston ARTCC Sector 46 and transferred UAL175 to frequency 127.82. UAL175 reported on Sector 46's frequency leaving FL190 climbing to FL230.
- 1227 Sector 46 Radar completed a hand-off to Sector 47 and transferred UAL175 to frequency 133.42. UAL175 reported on Sector 47's frequency level at FL230. 47R issued UAL175 a clearance to climb to FL350.
- 1228 UAL175 requested to stop the climb at FL310. 47R issued UAL175 a clearance to climb to FL310.
- 1230 47R completed a hand-off to Boston ARTCC Sector 20 and transferred UAL175 to frequency 125.75.
- 1231 UAL175 reported on Sector 20's frequency leaving FL280 climbing to FL310.
- 1237 Sector 20 Radar (20R) requested UAL175 to look for B767 traffic at one o'clock and ten miles. UAL175 advised negative visual contact with the B767.
- 1238 20R questioned UAL175 if the traffic at twelve o'clock and five miles was now in sight. UAL175 reported the traffic in sight. 20R issued UAL175 a clearance to turn thirty degrees right to avoid the traffic.
- 1239 20R issued UAL175 a clearance to proceed direct Sparta (SAX), NJ. 20R completed a hand-off to New York ARTCC and transferred UAL175 to frequency 127.17.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT (Continuation Sheet)

REPORT NO.

October 4, 2001 ZNY-ARTCC-148

NAME OF REPORTING FACILITY

REPORT DATE

New York ARTCC (ZNY)

14. CHRONOLOGICAL SUMMARY OF FLIGHT (Including control or other services provided by ATS facilities, and emergency action taken.)

September 11, 2001

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	1237 -	R42 accepts handoff on UAL175.
	1240:32 -	UAL175 checks on R42's frequency level FL 310 and is acknowledged by the Certified Professional Controller (CPC).
	1241:34 -	UAL175, after hearing the R42 CPC question USA583 about an American Airlines flight off its left, advises it heard a suspicious transmission on their departure out of Boston advising everyone to stay in their seats. The R42 CPC acknowledges this and advises he will pass it on.
I	1241:54 -	UAL175 advises that some of the last transmission was cut out.
	1242:12 -	UAL175 asks the R42 if they copied the last transmission. The R42 is conducting land line coordination and does not hear this transmission from UAL175.
	1246:31 -	R42 initiates handoff on UAL175 to ZNY Sector 10.
	1246:47 -	UAL175 beacon data terminated.
	1247:35 -	UAL175 datablock goes to CST (coast) mode.
	1247:37 -	UAL175 beacon code goes to 3321.
	1251:43 -	The R42 CPC recognizes a discrepancy in UAL175's beacon code and instructs the aircraft to reset transponder and squawk code 1-4-7-0. UAL175 does not respond.
	1251:54 -	The R42 CPC calls out to UAL175, but receives no response.
	1252:10 -	The R42 CPC calls out to UAL175 and receives no response. The R42 CPC then accomplishes a successful radio check with DAL1489.
	1252:55 -	The R42 CPC coordinates with Boston Center's Kingston sector, the previous sector working UAL175 to see if the aircraft returned to their frequency. Boston checks and replies UAL175 is not on their frequency.
	1253:14 -	The R42 CPC coordinates with an adjacent sector regarding UAL175 and an unidentified target in the vicinity of where UAL175 was, and indicates of a possible hijacking in progress.

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October 4, 2001

ZNY-ARTCC-148

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REPORT DATE

New York ARTCC (ZNY)

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- 1254:16 The R42 CPC issues traffic to DAL2483 of the traffic that appears now to be climbing out of FL320 but is not sure if the aircraft is climbing or descending and issues a vector to prevent a loss of separation.
- 1254:33 The R42 CPC calls out to UAL175 and gets no response.
- 1254:36 The R55 CPC issues traffic to DAL2315 and advises of traffic, (code 3321) at one o'clock and turning into its path and is not sure what the aircraft is doing as it's a possible hijacking in progress.
- 1254:38 The R42 asks DAL2483 if it can accept a climb due to the unidentified aircraft indicating a descent. DAL2483 responds affirmative and is climbed to FL330.
- 1254:56 The R55 CPC again issues traffic to DAL2315 and advises the trafic is about two o'clock, seven miles, and appears to be descending out of FL306. DAL2315 advises the traffic is in sight. The R55 CPC advises the aircraft it may deviate as necessary to avoid the aircraft.
- 1255:52 The R55 CPC issues traffic to USA542 and asks if they have it in sight. USA542 advises it received a TCAS RA and was leveling its altitude.
- 1255:18 The R42 advises DAL2483 the traffic is approximately one o'clock and 12 miles, appears to be in a turn eastbound and is out of FL 298. DAL2483 advises it is climbing and has the aircraft in sight.
- 1256:42 The R55 CPC asks USA542 what type aircraft it appears to be. USA542 responds it appears to be a B757.
- 1257:08 DAL2483 is given more updates on the vicinity of the traffic and advises the R42 CPC the traffic appears to be a United Airlines Boeing 767, two hundred series.
- 1258:09 The RA42 CPC coordinates with Boston Center Kingston sector to hold traffic entering sector 42 due to a possible hijacking incident.
- 1259:18 The RA55 CPC coordinates with New York TRACON and advises code 3-3-2-1, 15 miles north of RBV, is out of FL200 descending and is a hijack.

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October 4, 2001

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New York ARTCC (ZNY)

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- 1300:41 The RA42 CPC coordinates with New York TRACON and asks if they observe beacon code 3-3-2-1 code, believed to be UAL175. New York TRACON responds affirmative. RA42 advises they are not sure what the aircraft is doing.
- 1300:55 The RA55 CPC requests New York TRACON point out the 3-3-2-1 code to Kennedy Approach. New York TRACON advises all sectors/facilities are watching the code.
- 1302:57 Traffic Management Unit Departure Coordinator (TMU-DC) contacts Newark Tower and asks if they can see anything out their windows as another target has been observed on radar descending rapidly.
- 1303:01 Newark Tower immediately responds an aircraft just went into the World Trade Center. Newark Tower advises it appears the World Trade Center has just exploded.
- 1304:08 Boston Kingston sector calls and requests RA42 to advise when the sector can take more traffic. The RA42 CPC tells Boston Kingston to hold off for longer. Boston Kingston advises they will put everyone on the ground and hold off everyone in the air.
- 1307:19 The R55 CPC asks DAL9900, a New York metropolitan departure if he could see any thing out of the ordinary in lower Manhattan. DAL9900 advises he saw the south tower of the World Trade Center get hit by a plane.

ATS Personnel Involved, Continued.

NAME	FACILITY	OPERATING POSITION
James Kurz *(KZ)	ZNY ARTCC	Traffic Management Coordinator
Peter McCloskey (SO)	ZNY ARTCC	Traffic Management Coordinator
Christopher Tucker (CX)	ZNY ARTCC	R55
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Section 3.
Certified Indexes and Normal Service Statements



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December 21, 2001

I hereby certify that the following originals are on file in this office.

Form 7230-4
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Sign on Log: BOS
FAA Forms 7230-10
Personnel Statements
Original Voice Recording(s)
Certified Cassette Rerecording(s)

Bettina M. Peronti Bettina M. Peronti Air Traffic Manager

Boston ATCT



U.S. Department of Transporation

Federal Aviation Administration

Memorandum

Subject:

INFORMATION: Normal Service Statement;

Date: September 20, 2001

Reference Aircraft Accident; UAL175;

New York, NY; September 11, 2001

Manager, Boston ATCT, BOS-1

Reply to Attn. of: Allan R. Turmelle

(617) 561-5781

FAX: (617) 569-5910

To: New York ARTCC

All services provided by Boston ATCT were normal and there were no pertinent transmissions.

Bettina M. Peronti

Attachments Certified Index

FAA Form 8020-6-1



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September 19, 2001

I hereby certify that the following originals are on file in this office.

Form 7230-4
Form 7230-10
Form 8020-6-1
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Personnel Statements
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Joseph P. Davies Air Traffic Manager Boston TRACON



U.S. Department of Transportation

Federal Aviation Administration

Memorandum

Subject:

INFORMATION: Normal Service Statement;

Reference Aircraft Accident; UAL175; New York,

NY; September 11, 2001

From:

Air Traffic Manager, Boston TRACON

Reply to Attn. of: Tracie A. Henry

September 19, 2001

(617)561-5781

FAX: (617)569-5910

To: New York ARTCC

All services provided by Boston TRACON were normal and there were no pertinent transmissions.

Joseph P. Davies

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FAA Form 8020-6-1

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September 21, 2001

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ZBW Forms 7230-1, Personnel Logs FAA Form 7230-4 FAA Form 7230-10 and Automated Equivalent FAA Form 8020-6-1 Thermal Flight Strips, DSR Original Voice Recordings Personnel Statements Radar Data

Heather Hemdal Air Traffic Manager Boston ARTCC



U.S. Department of Transportation

Federal Aviation Administration

Memorandum

Subject: INFORMATION: Normal Service Statement;

Reference Aircraft Accident; UAL175; New

York, NY; September 11, 2001

Date:

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Manager, Boston ARTCC, ZBW-1

Reply to Attn. of:

To: New York ARTCC

All services provided by Boston ARTCC were normal, and there were no pertinent transmissions.

Heather Hemdal

2 Attachments Certified Index FAA Form 8020-6-1

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September 11, 2001

I hereby certify that the following copies of records are true copies of originals which are on file in this office.

FAA Form 8020-3

FAA Form 8020-9

NADIN message reflecting FAA Form 8020-9 Information

FAA Form 8020-6

FAA Form 8020-6-1

FAA Form 7230-4, Daily Record of Facility Operation

FAA Form 7230-01, ARTCC Marginally Punched Continuous Strip

Personnel Logs

Original Voice Recordings

Voice Transcriptions, Sectors 42,55,TMU-DC, TMU-AD,

TMU "1078", OMIC, MOS

Original SAR Tape, NY1480-1491

Original AMPP Tape, NY2044

Original Core Tape, NY2116

DSR Tape ZNY-0226, -0241, -0230 (September 11, 2001, 0621-2359 UTC)

DARC Tape ZNY-0400, -0319, -0402 (September 11, 2001, 0846 -2359 UTC)

Weather Products

Personnel Statements

Chain of Custody Documents

National Track Analysis Programs (NTAPs)

Data Analysis Reduction Tool (DARTs)

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Michael J. McCormick Air Traffic Manager New York ARTCC Section 4.
FAA Form 7230-4, Daily Record of Facility Operation

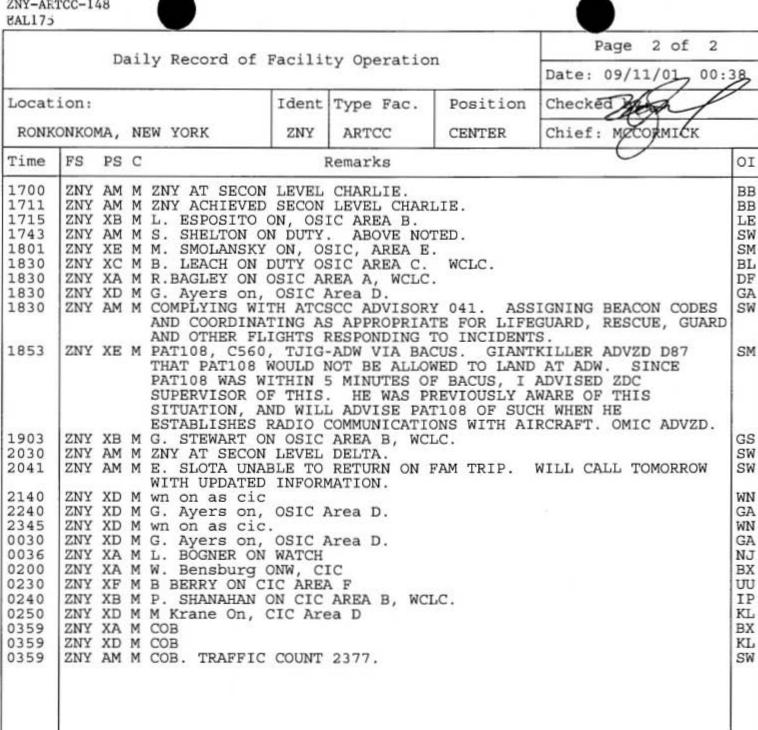


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Signature of watch supervisor(s)

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Signature of watch supervisor(s)

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Section 5. Personnel Logs

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Personnel Log (AEA - ZNY) - Traffic Management

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Section 6.
Automated Sign-In/Sign-Out (SISO) Data

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Section 7.
Facility Layout Chart

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Section 8.
Flight Progress Strips, FAA Form 7230-01
ARTCC Marginally Punched Continuous Strip



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Section 9. Transcriptions of Voice Recordings



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Memorandum

Administration

Subject: INFORMATION: Full Transcript;

Aircraft Accident; UAL175; New York, NY;

September 11, 2001

From: New York ARTCC

Date: May 8, 2002

Reply to Attn. of:

Abbreviations

To: Aircraft Accident File ZNY-ARTCC-148

Agencies Making Transmissions

This transcription covers the New York Center Radar Sector 42 position for the time period from September 11, 2001, 1235 UTC, to September 11, 2001, 1307:58 UTC.

Agencies Making Transmissions	Aboreviations
Boston Center Kingston Sector	ZBW IGN
New York Center Radar Sector 42	R42
Flexjet Business Jet Flight 420	LXJ420
New York Center Radar Sector 10	R10
U S Airlines Flight 583	USA583
New York Center Radar Sector 39	R39
United Airlines Flight 457	UAL457
Federal Express Corporation Flight 3226	FDX3226
New York Center Radar Associate Sector 10	RA10
United Airlines Inc. Flight 175	UAL175
Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 2315	DAL2315
Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 2433	DAL2433
New York Center Radar Associate Sector 55	RA55
Unknown Agency	Unknown
New York Center Radar Sector 73	R73
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Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 1489	DAL1489
Continental Airlines Inc. Flight 683	COA683
United Airlines Inc. Flight 467	UAL467
Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 1043	DAL1043
Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 351	DAL351
U S Air Flight 429	USA429
Boston Center Rockdale Sector	ZBW RKA
Philadelphia Approach Control	PHL
New York Center-Area B Controller In Charge	B-CIC

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Agencies Making Transmissions	Abbreviation
New York Center Sector 9	R09
Atlantic Southeast Airlines, Inc. Flight 581	CAA581
Washington Center Sea Isle Sector	SIE
Cessna N912	N912
McGuire Radar Approach Control	WRI
New York Approach Control, Coyle Sector	N90 CYN
Boston Center Hampton Sector	ZBW HTO
New York Approach Control, Kennedy Sector	N90 JFK

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Quality Assurance Specialist

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1237: 39	LXJ420	okay ah you have to say that again one thirty four point six for flex jet four twenty
1237:42	R42	that's perfect
1237:44	R10	hello forty two
1237:45	R42	yeah go ahead

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1237:48	R42	yeah american six ninety three is your control
1237:50	R10	thank you
1237:51	R42	the fedex is if you want to turn him too thats fine
1237:53 1238	R10	ah ah thanks
1238:39	USA583	o center u s air five eighty three is with you level three five zero
1238:54	R42	i'm sorry who was that
1238:56	USA583	u s air five eighty three checking in level three five zero good morning
1239		
1239:01	R42	u s air five eighty three new york center roger
1239:13	R39	forty two
1239:14	R42	yeah forty two
1239:16	R39	thirty nine c d eight two three flight level nah he wants thirty five how bout thirty five reference that guy um right over there
1239:24	R42	i gave the fedex turns because they're climbing the other guy in front so
1239:27	UAL457	is direct bel air possible for united four fifty seven
1239:28	R42	(unintelligible) is fine

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1239:30	R39	three one o
1239:32	R42	fedex thirty two twenty six contact new york center on one three point four seven good day
1239:37	FDX3226	thirty three forty seven fedex thirty two twenty six heavy so long
1239:39	R42	good day
1239:50 1240	UAL457	new york united four fifty seven
1240:05	RA10	hello
1240:07	R42	primary two two eight
1240:08	UAL457	new york united four fifty seven
1240:09	R42	yeah hold one minute
1240:11	R42	there you go okay what you go ahead
1240:13	RA10	ah sector ten i got a point out for you just west of lancaster there computer seven one two a

four one o

yeah

is he at forty one o

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1240:20	RA10	thanks n a
1240:32	UAL175	center good morning united one seventy fives heavy three one oh
1240:37	R42	united one seventy five new correction united one seventy five new york center roger
1240:43	R42	u s air five eighty three new york
1240:46	USA583	five eighty three go ahead
1240:49	R42	do me a favor haa there's an aircraft that they had threatening things off your left did they ask you to look to look for an aircraft it's an american flight he's about eight to nine o'clock right now and about ten miles from you just heading south bound the last reported altitude on him was twenty nine and nobody's not a sure what he might be at
1241:07	USA583	yeah we talked about him on the last frequency ah we spotted him um when he was at our three o'clock position and ah he did appear to us to be at twenty nine thousand feet we're not picking him up on the tcas i'll look again and see if we can spot him once more
1241:20	R42	no it looks like they shut off the transponder that's why the the question about it
1241:28	UAL175	new york united one seventy five heavy
1241:32	R42	united one seventy five go ahead

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1241:34	UAL175	ya we figured we'd wait to go to your center ah we heard a suspicious transmission on our departure out of boston ah with someone ah da it sounded like someone keyed the mike and said ah everyone ah stay in your seats
1241:51	R42	oh okay i'll pass that along over here
1241:54	UAL175	it's ah cut out
1241:57	R42	hey kingston on the ninety three line
1241:58 1242	ZBW IGN	go ahead
1242:01	R42	that united one seventy five just came on my frequency and he said that they heard a suspicious ah transmission when they were leaving boston
1242:06	ZBW IGN	oh yea
1242:07	R42	of everybody stay in their seat that's what they heard is a suspicious transmission
1242:12	UAL175	did you copy that
1242:13	R42	just to let you know and ah that u s air five eighty three thought that the american he spotted him was at twenty nine
1242:18	ZBW IGN	okay
1242:19	R42	okay



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1242:20	ZBW IGN	alright thanks a lot
1242:22	R42	just to let you know fifty five i don't really don't really want to talk with you right now this guy ul
1242:52	USA583	center where do you find him in relation to five eighty three now
1242:55	R42	ah he's about ah nine o'clock and just about twenty miles from you it looks like he's heading southbound but there's no transponder no nothing and no one's talking to him
1243:20	DAL2315	hello new york good morning delta twenty three fifteen passing twenty three nine for two eight oh
1243:26	R42	delta twenty three fifteen new york center roger
1243:32	DAL2433	new york center delta twenty four thirty three flight level three one oh
1243:38	R42	delta twenty four thirty three new york center roger
1243:57 1244	USA583	center u s air five eighty three
1244:01	R42	u s air five eighty three go ahead
1244:04	USA583	yeah i just picked up an e l t on one twenty one five it was brief but it ah went off
1244:09	R42	okay they said it's confirmed believe it or not as ah thing we're not sure yet so we're still trying going on another aircraft right now and they're trying to see what ah altitude he's at



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1244:32	R42	kingston on ninety three line
1244:35	RA55	take a point out yet
1244:36	R42	not yet kingston on the ninety three line this is east texas
1244:38	ZBW IGN	go ahead sir
1244:38	R42	can you turn that delta twenty four thirty three a little bit to the right they got that eagle flight in there the guy at thirty one that they wanted to look at this american to see what altitude he was at can you put him on a like a two ninety and stop the delta fourteen eighty nine underneath him
1244:51	ZBW IGN	yeah we just put just put delta twenty four thirty three on you we will try him again if we have him we will put him on a two ninety alright
1244:56	R42	i'm not talking to the delta oh okay
1244:58	ZBW IGN	alright
1244:59	R42	delta twenty four thirty three new york
1245:03	DAL2433	go ahead
1245:05	R42	turn right heading of two niner zero delta twenty four thirty three vectors for traffic
1245:07	DAL2433	delta twenty four thirty three at two nine zero we picked up that e l t too but its ah very faint



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1245:11	ZBW IGN	we don't have the delta twenty four thirty three
1245:12	R42	roger can you make it a nice tight turn ah it would help ah traffic eleven o'clock and about ten miles northbound just turning eastbound at thirty one
1245:21	DAL2433	we'll make it tight
1245:22	Unknown	yeah we're here yeah
1245:23	R42	thanks
1245:26	R73	air canada three zero seven at two eight zero please
1245:37	Huntress	heads up new york amis huntress i d
1245:44	Huntress	new york amis huntress i d
1245:51	R42	delta twenty four thirty three thank you for the turn cleared direct to ah solberg
1245:57	DAL2433	direct solberg delta twenty four thirty three wilco
1246:00	R42	roger
1246:13	DAL1489	new york center delta fourteen eighty nine heavy out of two nine zero for three nine zero
1246:18	R42	continental six eighty three contact the new york center now on ah one tree four point tree two



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1246:24	COA683	three four three two continental six eighty three we'll see you
1246:27	R42	united four sixty seven contact new york center on one tree tree point four seven
1246:31	UAL467	thirty three forty seven united four si (unintelligible)
1246:35	DAL1043	good morning new york delta ten forty three checking in three nine oh
1246:38 1247	R42	delta ten forty three new york center roger
1247:16	R42	delta three fifty one contact new york center on one three four point three two
1247:21	DAL351	three four three two delta three fifty one
1247:24	R42	delta fourteen eighty nine are you on the frequency
1247:27	DAL1489	delta fourteen eighty nine out of three one zero for three nine zero
1247:31	R42	delta fourteen eighty nine new york center roger cleared direct to pottstown
1247:35	DAL1489	direct pottstown delta fourteen eighty nine heavy
1247:37 1248	R42	roger



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1248:51	R42	delta twenty three fifteen contact the new york center on ah one three four point six have a nice day
1248:59	DAL2315	one three four point six delta twenty three fifteen you you do the same
1249:03	R42	it's thirty four six three four point six
1249:30	Huntress	new york amis huntress i d
1249:30	Unknown	three to five minutes
1249:38	USA429	ah new york u s airs four twenty nine is ah leveling three five zero smooth
1249:48	R42	i'm sorry who was that
1249:50	USA429	u s air four twenty nine leveling three five zero
1249:52 1250	R42	ah u s air four twenty nine new york center roger
1250:13	Unknown	anybody know what that smoke is in lower manhattan
1250:17	R42	i'm sorry say again
1250:19	Unknown	a lot of smoke in lower manhattan
1250:22	R42	a lot of smoke in lower manhattan



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1250:24	Unknown	(unintelligible) coming out of the top of the world trade center building a major fire
1250:26	Unknown	yeah
1250:42	Unknown	i got him now
1250:47	R42	and ah which was the one that just saw the major fire
1250:52	DAL1489	this delta fourteen eighty nine uh we can see the lower manhattan looks like the world trade center's on fire but it's hard to tell from here
1251:03	R42	delta fourteen eighty nine roger
1251:08	DAL1489	let us know if you hear any news down there
1251:10	R42	roger
1251:31	ZBW RKA	elmira rockdale thirty
1251:33	R42	delta ten forty three cleared direct to pottstown
1251:36	DAL1043	pottstown delta ten forty three
1251:43	R42	united one seventy five recycle your transponder and squawk code of one four seven zero
1251:54 1252	R42	united one seventy five new york
1252:10	R42	united one seventy five do you read new york



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1252:14	R42	delta fourteen eighty nine do you read new york
1252:17	DAL1489	delta fourteen eighty nine go ahead
1252:19	R42	okay just wanted to make sure you read new york ah united united one seventy five do you read new york
1252:30	R42	kingston on the ninety three line kennedy
1252:34	Unknown	new york amis huntress i d
1252:36	PHL	modena phil fourteen line v f r
1252:37	B-CIC	see if they want altitude on that plane altogether
1252:46	R42	kingston on the ninety three line east texas
1252:53	R42	kingston on the ninety three line east texas
1252;54	ZBW IGN	kingston
1252:55	R42	do me a favor see if united one seventy five went back on to your frequency
1252:58	ZBW IGN	united one seventy five
1252:59 1253	R42	yes
1253:14	ZBW IGN	he is not here er east texas

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1253:20	R42	ten
1253:22	RA10	hello
1253:24	R42	do you um see that united one seventy five anywhere and do me a favor you see that target there that thirty three twenty one code at thirty three five climbing don't know who he is but you got the u s air five eighty three if you need to descend him down you can nobody we may have a hijack we have some problems over here right now
1253:39	RA10	oh you do
1253:40	R42	yes and
1253:42	RA10	okay
1253:43	R42	that that may be real traffic nobody knows i can't get a hold of united one seventy five at all right now and i don't know where he went to
1253:47	RA10	alright okay i'll see if i have one
1253:49	R42	alright
1253:51	RA10	okay
1253:52	R42	united one seventy five new york
1254:00	USA583	new york five eighty three



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1254:05	R42	go ahead us air five eighty three go ahead
1254:07	USA583	yeah getting uh reports on over the radio of uh a commuter plane hitting the world trade center is that uh nordo seven six still in the air
1254:16	R42	don't know but just stand by delta twenty four thirty three turn left to heading of one seven zero now i have traffic i'm not really sure if it's good out of thirty two might be descending might be climbing i'm showing him at thirty one right now
1254:28	DAL2433	heading one uh seven zero delta twenty four thirty three
1254:33	R42	united one seventy five do you read new york
1254:38	R42	delta twenty four thirty three um can you climb to flight level three three zero the traffic looks like he is descended back down to thirty one now
1254:46	DAL2433	yeah we can go up
1254:48	R42	okay climb and maintain flight level three three zero delta twenty four thirty three
1254:51 1255	DAL2433	climbing to thirty three delta twenty four thirty three
1255:15	DAL2433	yeah where is the traffic in relation with delta twenty four thirty three



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1255:18	R42	about one o'clock and about twelve miles from you he turns he appears to be turning eastbound right now uh are you climbing to flight level right now he is out of twenty nine eight it looks like
1255:29	DAL2433	we're climbing and we got him in sight
1255:50	R42	delta twenty four thirty three turn right now to a heading two niner five now the traffic looks like he is at twenty uh nine
1255:58	DAL2433	right to two nine five delta twenty four thirty three
1256:17	R42	delta twenty four thirty three um don't really know we have a couple of incidences going on right now we're not really sure whats going with any of these airplanes
1256:23	ZBW IGN	kingston nintey three hand off american
1256:25	DAL2433	roger that
1256:46	R42	delta twenty four thirty three that traffic appears to be about twelve o'clock right now and just about three miles from you eastbound he seems to be at twenty nine right now
1256:57	DAL2433	delta twenty four thirty three yeah we're passing right by we'll see if we can get you a ah id on
1257:04	R42	right now he's at twenty eight he is eleven o'clock and less than a mile
1257:08	DAL2433	looks like a united uh seven six two hundred as far as i can tell

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1257:14	R42	okay thank you very much
1257:49	R42	nine
1257:51	R09	go ahead
1257:52	R42	oh i'm sorry i got some handoffs for you we got some incidents going over here is delta twenty four thirty three going to be okay at thirty three i had to climb him for traffic i let you united one seventy five just took off out of uh thing we might have a hijack over here two of them
1258:03	USA583	and center five eighty three
1258:04	R09	two okay
1258:05	R42	so delta twenty four thirty yeah okay
1258:06	R09	yeah the delta is good at thirty three
1258:08	R42	okay and uh the delta fourteen eighty nine is coming to you also
1258:13	R09	okay
1258:14	R42	here he is
1258:15	R09	radar
1258:17	R42	delta fourteen eighty nine contact new york center now on one three four point three two



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1258:20	DAL1489	delta fourteen eighty nine three four three two
1258:23	R42	delta twenty four thirty three thank you for the help and that ah united just took off and we are not really sure what he is doing you thought it was united seven sixty seven though
1258:31	DAL2433	thats uh thats what it looked like
1258:33	R42	thank you delta twenty four thirty three fly heading of two seven zero join jay seventy five resume own navigation thanks for the climb
1258:40	DAL2433	heading two seven zero and join the jet route delta twenty four thirty three
1258:47	USA583	and center five eighty three
1258:52	R42	ah i'm sorry who is that
1258:54	USA583	u s air five eighty three i hate to keep burdening you with this stuff but now we're picking up another e l t on twenty one five
1259:00	R42	u s air five eighty three thanks contact new york center on one three four point three two thirty four thirty two
1259:06	USA583	thirty four thirty two for u s air five eighty three good day
1300		
1300:32	Unknown	alright alright e l t reported by
1300:34	R09	go ahead sir



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1300:35	Unknown	in the vicinity
1300:37	R42	yeah nine i'm sorry we got a little confused over here
1300:37	Unknown	quiet
1300:38	R09	what's the matter
1300:39	R42	we got a little bit screwed up over here delta ten forty three going to be okay you can start the
1300:42	R09	yeah
1300:43	R42	delta ten
1300:44	R09	yeah radar
1300:45	R42	four thirty three back down again
1300:47	R09	ok thank you
1300:48	R42	thanks
1300:49	R09	thank you
1300:50	R42	delta ten forty three contact new york center one tree four point tree two good day
1300:53 1301	DAL1043	thirty four thirty two so long



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1301:03	ZBW IGN	elmira kingston ninety three
1301:29	Unknown	east texas are you gonna take that candler
1301:35	Unknown	ken
1301:59	Unknown	hey kennedy ninety three stewart manual hand off
1302:00	CAA581	center candler five eight one out of twenty nine three for three five oh
1302:04	R42	candler five eighty one new york center roger
1302:10	R42	delta ten forty three contact new york center on one tree four point tree two
1302:18 1303	R42	delta fourteen eighty nine new york
1303:11	ZBW RKA	elmira thirty nine line rockdale
1303:15	R42	u s air four twenty nine contact new york center on one tree four point tree two good day
1303:22	USA429	three four three two u s air ah four twenty nine
1303:37	ZBW IGN	hey east texas ninety three kingston
1303:39	SIE	kingston ninety nine this is sea isle hand off nine one bravo zulu



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1303:47	ZBW IGN	east texas call kingston when you get a
	and the second s	moment please
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1304:03	ZBW IGN	new york center are you there east texas
1304:04	R09	forty two nine
1304:07	R42	yes
1304:08	R09	see if delta twenty four thirty three is on your frequency go over to
1304:10	R42	delta twenty four thirty three new york
1304:12	DAL2433	go ahead for delta twenty four thirty three
1304:14	R42	contact new york center one three four point three two
1304:16	DAL2433	three four three two good day
1304:27	R42	candler five eighty one squawk one five three six
1304:30	CAA581	one five three six candler five eighty one
1304:35	R42	u s air four twenty nine contact new york center on one three four point three two
1305		
1305:09	R42	candler five eighty one cleared direct to pottstown
1305:12	CAA581	direct pottstown candler five eighty one

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1305:59	R42	kingston ninety three line this is east texas
1306:04	PHL	modena philly departure four two line
1306:06	N912	philidelphia approach cessna niner one two turning east and then north
1306:11	R42	kingston ninety three line east texas
1306:13	ZBW IGN	yeah kingston here
1306:15	R42	you wanna start bringing me some traffic just spread it out a little bit for me would you now
1306:17	ZBW IGN	ok
1306:19	R42	please
1306:21	ZBW IGN	i only got one south west we routed most of this stuff into uh cleveland so i only got one guy who's routed towards you right now
1306:25	R42	ok
1306:28	ZBW IGN	good luck man
1306:44 1307	WRI	manta mcguire fifty five
1307:40	N90 CYN	lake henry coyle ninety nine
1307:56	ZBW HTO	atlantic thirty nine hampton



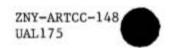
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N90 JFK

camm and water kennedy on the six you're in a hold for everybody

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This transcription covers the New York Center Radar Associate Sector 42 position for the time period from September 11, 2001, 1255:51 UTC, to September 11, 2001, 1307:55 UTC.

Agencies Making Transmissions	Abbreviations
New York Center Radar Sector 42	R42
Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 2433	DAL2433
Boston Center Kingston Sector	ZBW IGN
New York Center Radar Associate Sector 42	RA42
U S Air Flight 583	USA583
Unknown Agency	Unknown
Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 1489	DAL1489
New York TRACON Liberty Sector	N90 LIB
Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 1043	DAL1043
Atlantic Southeast Airlines, Inc. Flight 581	CAA581
U S Air Flight 429	USA429
Washington Center Sea Isle Sector	SIE
Philadelphia Approach Control	PHL
Cessna N912	N912
New York TRACON Newark Sector	N90 EWR
McGuire Radar Approach Control	WRI
New York TRACON Coyle Sector	N90 CYN
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1255:51	R42	delta twenty four thirty three turn right now to a heading two niner five now that traffic looks like he's at twenty uh nine
1255:58	DAL2433	right to two nine five delta twenty four thirty three
1256:17	R42	delta twenty four thirty three um don't really know we have a couple of incidences going on right now we're not really sure whats going with any of these airplanes
1256:23	ZBW IGN	kingston ninety three handoff american
1256:25	DAL2433	roger that
1256:26	RA42	you gotta spin that we got an incident going on over here shut the shut the sector down everything spin to me
1256:30	ZBW IGN	say it again
1256:31	RA42	can't take any traffic right now we got a lot of stuff going on
1256:47	R42	delta twenty four thirty three that traffic appears to be about twelve o'clock right now and just about three miles from ya eastbound he seems to be at twenty nine right now



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1256:57	DAL2433	delta twenty four thirty three yeah we're passing right by we'll see if we can get you a ah id on
1257:04	R42	right now he's at twenty eight he's eleven o'clock now and less then a mile
1257:09	DAL2433	looks like a united uh seven six two hundred as far as i can tell
1257:14	R42	okay thank you very much
1257:50	ZBW IGN	elmira kingston thirty nine
1257:58 1258	ZBW IGN	elmira kingston thirty nine
1258:03	USA583	and center five eighty three
1258:04	ZBW IGN	texas kingston ninety three
1258:06	RA42	yeah
1258:07	ZBW IGN	can i give him a reason for holding
1258:09	Unknown	okay
1258:09	RA42	ah just stuff going on here we may have like believe it or not we might have a hijack going on over here
1258:15	ZBW IGN	hijack
1258:16	RA42	yeah



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1258:18	R42	one three four point three two
1258:21	DAL1489	delta fourteen eighty nine three four three two
1258:23	R42	delta twenty four thirty three thank you for the help that ah that united just took off and we are not really sure what he is doing you thought it was united seven sixty seven though
1258:28	DAL2433	thats uh thats what it looked like
1258:33	R42	thank you delta twenty four thirty three fly heading of two seven zero join jay seventy five resume own navigation thanks for the climb
1258:40	DAL2433	heading two seven zero and join the jet route delta twenty four thirty three
1258:47	USA583	and center five eighty three
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1258:55	USA583	u s air five eighty three i hate to keep burdening you with this stuff but now we're picking up another elt on twenty one five
1259:00	R42	u s air five eighty three thanks contact new york center on one three four point three two thirty four thirty two
1259:06 1300	USA583	thirty four thirty two for u s air five eighty three good day
1300:37	RA42	liberty west fifteen line



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1300:40	N90 LIB	what
1300:41	RA42	you see that you know about that thirty three twenty one code
1300:43	N90 LIB	yeah we're watching him
1300:44	RA42	okay cause we don't know what he's doing
1300:45	N90 LIB	i know
1300:45	RA42	okay
1300:46	N90 LIB	check
1300:50	R42	delta ten forty three contact new york center one tree four point tree two good day
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1302:19 1303	R42	delta fourteen eighty nine new york
1303:11	Unknown	elmira thirty nine line rockdale
1303:16	R42	u s air four twenty nine contact new york center on one tree four point tree two good day
1303:22	USA429	three four three two u s air ah four twenty nine
1303:36	ZBW IGN	hey east texas ninety three kingston
1303:37	SIE	kingston ninety nine this is sea isle handoff nine one bravo zulu
1303:47 1304	ZBW IGN	east texas call kingston when you get a moment please
1304:03	ZBW IGN	new york center are you there east texas
1304:07	RA42	yeah
1304:08	ZBW IGN	i know um i understand that that we got some problems but just let me know if you guys are ever are gonna be able to take traffic at some point
1304:11	RA42	yes



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1304:13	RA42	hold on
1304:16	ZBW IGN	okay
1304:17	RA42	hold on just a second kingston
1304:18	ZBW IGN	okay
1304:23	RA42	lets just hold off for a few more minutes
1304:24	ZBW IGN	okay we're gonna we're going to put everyone on the ground that we have and hold off everyone that we have in the air
1304:26	RA42	alright
1304:28	RA42	thank you
1304:28 1305	ZBW IGN	alright
1306 1306:04	PHL	modena philly departure four two line
1306:06	N912	(unintelligible) philadelphia approach cessna niner one two turning east and then north
1306:20	N90 EWR	penns newark on the six
1306:44 1307	WRI	manta mcguire fifty five
1307:39	N90 CYN	lake henry coyle ninety nine



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This transcription covers the New York Center Radar Sector 55 position for the time period from September 11, 2001, 1248 UTC, to September 11, 2001, 1321 UTC.

Agencies Making Transmissions	Abbreviations
New York Center Radar Sector 55	R55
American Airlines Inc. Flight 151	AAL151
Hawker N3TA	N3TA
American Airlines Inc. Flight 281	AAL281
Delta Air Lines Inc. Flight 45	DAL45
Trans World Airlines Inc. Flight 885	TWA885
Delta Air Lines Inc. Flight 2315	DAL2315
U S Air Flight 542	USA542
New York Center Radar Sector 09	R09
U S Air Flight 1973	USA1973
Delta Air Lines Inc. Flight 289	DAL289
Boston Center Kingston Sector	ZBW IGN
Learjet N50MJ	N50MJ
Trans World Airlines Inc. Flight 3	TWA3
Unknown Agency	Unknown
Continental Air Lines Inc. Flight 211	COA211
New York TRACON South Sector	N90LIBS
New York TRACON South Sector Employee 1	N90LIBS-1
New York TRACON South Sector Employee 2	N90LIBS-2
New York TRACON	N90
Taca International Airlines S. A. Flight 580	TAI580
Colgan Air Flight 5981	CJC5981
Boston Center Stewart Sector	ZBW SWF



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Washington Center Sea Isle Sector	ZDC SIE	
America West Airlines	AWE193	
New York TRACON Liberty West Sector	N90LIBW	
Delta Air Lines Inc. Flight 9900	DAL9900	
Continental Air Lines Inc. Flight 1167	COA1167	
Washington Center Coyle Sector	ZDC CYN	
Trans States Airlines, Inc. Flight 5411	LOF5411	

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1249:06 R55 american one fifty one traffic's no factor climb and

maintain flight level two eight zero

1249:11 AAL151 ah we're out of two seven zero for two eight zero american one

fifty one

1249:15 R55 hawker three tango alpha maintain flight level two eight zero

1249:18 N3TA two eight zero three tango alpha

1249:19 R55 hawker three tango alpha contact new york one three four

point three two

1249:23 N3TA thirty four one two er ah say the frequency for three tango alpha

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1249:26 R55 thirty four thirty two

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1249:28	N3TA	thirty four thirty two three tango alpha
1249:29	R55	american one fifty one maintain i just did it already twenty eight already right
1249:33	AAL151	that's affirmative twenty eight
1249:34	R55	american one fifty one contact new york one three four three two
1249:37	AAL151	thirty four thirty two good day
1249:39	R55	american two eighty one turn twenty degrees right radar vectors for traffic
1249:43	AAL281	twenty two zero degrees to the right american ah two eighty one
1249:47	R55	delta forty five climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1249:50	*(DAL45)	*(delta)
1249:52	R55	delta forty five climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1249:55	DAL45	delta forty five climbing to two eight zero
1249:59	TWA885	new york center t w a eight eighty five heavy at one five thousand for one seven thousand

t w a eight eighty five heavy new york center good morning

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1250:06	TWA885	morning
1250:19	DAL2315	hello new york good morning delta twenty three fifteen with you at two eight oh
1250:23	R55	delta twenty three fifteen new york center good morning
1250:48	USA542	new york center u s air five forty two level one seven thousand
1250:50	R55	u s air five forty two new york center roger
1250:55	R55	u s air five forty two climb and maintain flight level two seven zero
1251:00	USA542	up to two seven zero u s air five forty two
1251:08	R55	u s air five forty nine contact new york center one three four point three two
1251:18	R55	u s air five forty nine new york
1251:25	R55	t w a eight eighty five climb and maintain flight level two two zero
1251:29 1252	TWA885	flight level two two zero t w a eight eight five heavy
1252:14	R55	american two eighty one direct larri on course
1252:17	AAL281	okay back direct larri american two eighty one

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1252:19	R55	i never had any joy from u s air five forty nine
1252:21	R09	alright
1252:22	R55	and american two eighty one's going direct to larri
1252:23	R09	alright
1252:23	R55	сх
1252:27	R55	u s air nineteen seventy three reduce speed to two five zero
1252:30	USA1973	two fifty u s air nineteen seventy three
1252:31	R55	delta forty five maintain flight level two seven zero
1252:36	DAL45	delta forty five two seven zero
1252:37	R55	thank you u s air nineteen seventy three fly heading two niner zero radar vectors for in trail spacing
1252:42	USA1973	two nine zero u s air ah nineteen seventy three
1252:45	R55	u s air nineteen seventy three contact new york one three four three two
1252:55	R55	u s air nineteen seventy three contact new york one three four three two
1252:58	USA1973	three four three two u s air nineteen seventy three

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1253:00	R55	delta two eighty nine contact new york one three four three two
1253:08	DAL289	delta two eighty nine three four three two
1253:14	ZBW IGN	he's not here ah east texas
1253:17	N50MJ	new york center lear november five zero mike juliet out of sixteen three for seventeen thousand one seven thousand
1253:22	R55	lear november five zero mike juliet new york center roger
1253:26	R55	nine fifty five
1253:27	R09	go ahead
1253:28	R55	okay north of pottstown about twenty miles code three three two one you see it
1253:31	TWA3	morning new york t w a three heavy sixteen two for one seven thousand
1253:33	R09	ah yeah
1253:34	R55	that's a hijacked aircraft it's an american boeing seven fifty seven
1253:37	R09	and he's going southbound
1253:38	R55	we have no idea what he's doing
1253:40	R09	okay

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1253:40	R55	okay
1253:40	R09	alright
1253:41	R55	thank you
1253:41	R09	alright
1253:58	TWA3	new york t w a three heavy sixteen six for one seven thousand
1254:02	R55	t w a three heavy new york center roger good morning maintain flight level two two zero
1254:06	TWA3	maintain flight level two two zero t w a three heavy
1254:10	R55	u s air five forty two reduce speed to two eight zero
1254:14	USA542	we're ah two eighty now u s air five forty two
1254:16	R55	because i said the wrong word i'm sorry sir u s air five forty two maintain two hundred and fifty knots please
1254:21	USA542	slow to two fifty u s air five forty two
1254:27	R55	delta twenty three fifteen delta twenty three fifteen turn left immediately to a heading of two zero zero
1254:33	DAL2315	left turn immediately two zero zero delta twenty three fifteen

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1254:36	R55	roger traffic one o'clock ten miles turning into your face descending out of thirty one it's a hijacked aircraft we don't know what he's doing
1254:43	DAL2315	twenty three fifteen
1254:44	R55	u s air five forty two turn left heading two zero zero
1254:48	USA542	left two zero zero u s air five forty two
1254:50	R55	five zero mike juliet maintain flight level two one zero
1254:54	N50MJ	out of seventeen for two one zero mike juliet
1254:56	R55	delta twenty three fifteen the traffic is now at your well if your heading on a two hundred heading he's about your two o'clock and about seven ah looks like thirty point six descending
1255:06	DAL2315	ah we have him in sight sir
1255:08	R55	delta twenty three fifteen roger
1255:12	DAL2315	ah traffic in sightyeah he's in sight
1255:16	R55	okay you can maneuver as necessary to avoid that aircraft sir i do not know what he's doing
1255:28	R55	delta twenty three fifteen any evasive action you need to take is approved
1255:37	R55	delta twenty three fifteen can you tell me what kind of aircraft that is and whose companys

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1255:43	Unknown	blocked
1255:43	R55	delta twenty three fifteen can you tell me what kind of aircraft it is and whose company
1255:48	DAL2315	ah he's going behind us sir i'm gonna try to get a good look at him delta twenty three fifteen
1255:52	R55	u s air five forty two you see him there at twelve o'clock and five eastbound twenty eight and eight
1255:56	USA542	affirmative ah we got an r a on him we're ah leveling here
1256:00	R55	okay you can ah u s air five forty two fly heading of two niner zero now radar vectors for your climb
1256:04	USA542	kay two niner zero u s air five forty two
1256:07	R55	delta twenty three fifteen he's behind you now you can turn right to a heading of two eight zero and join the airway
1256:11	DAL2315	ah yes sir and ah didn't get a good look at him but it was a darker paint scheme
1256:15	R55	okay u s air five forty two can you tell who he is
1256:18	USA542	is that the guy that was right ahead of us
1256:19	R55	yes it is
1256:20	USA542	it looks like a delta airplane to me

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1256:22	R55	okay it looks like a delta seven five
1256:23	ZBW IGN	kingston ninety three handoff american
1256:24	USA542	yes
1256:26	R55	delta forty five maintain flight level two seven zero and contact new york one three four three two
1256:37	R55	u s air five forty two was it a seven five seven
1256:39	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1256:40	R55	u s air five forty two was it a seven five seven
1256:42	USA542	yeah it looked like a seven fifty seven and ah it looked like a delta if you woulda told me that that was him i coulda got a better look at him
1256:48	R55	okay yeah i'm sorry i was busy looking at the guy in front of you u s air t w a three t w a three traffic one o'clock ten miles southeastbound descending out of twenty eight point seven we believe it's a hijacked aircraft ah it looks like a seven five seven we're trying to find out what the livery is
1257:05	TWA3	t w a ah three heavy's looking negative contact
1257:09	R55	delta twenty three fifteen you can proceed direct to modena on course
1257:12	*(DAL2315)	cause we were maneuvering to get out of his way but ah i concur with the guy behind us



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1257:18	R55	okay thank you delta twenty three fifteen direct modena on course
1257:23	TWA3	center t w a three
1257:24	R55	yes
1257:25	TWA3	(unintelligible) aircraft now at ah it looks like three o'clock
1257:28	R55	okay can you see what ah the livery was
1257:33	TWA3	ah its dark paint scheme and ah if i was guessing i would say united but ah that would be just a guess
1257:39	R55	okay
1257:42	Unknown	(unintelligible) level seventeen thousand
1257:45	R55	continental two eleven new york center roger climb to flight level two eight zero
1257:49	COA211	we're leaving seventeen for two eight zero continental two eleven
1257:53	R55	t w a eight eighty five climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1257:56	Unknown	i stepped on ya
1257:57	R55	t w a eight eighty five maintain flight level two eight zero
1258:00	TWA885	flight level two eight zero t w a eight eighty five heavy



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1258:02	R55	one ah five zero mike juliet ah maintain flight level two two zero
1258:05	ZBW IGN	kingston ninety three
1258:06	Unknown	blocked
1258:07	R55	five zero mike juliet maintain flight level two two zero
1258:09	N50MJ	out of twenty one for twenty two fifty mike juliet
1258:13	Unknown	center the aircraft was light color with a dark tail
1258:16	R55	okay
1258:33	R55	delta twenty three fifteen thanks for your help contact the new york center on one three four point three two
1258:39	DAL2315	thirty four thirty two delta twenty three fifteen
1258:41	R55	u s air five forty two direct modena resume own navigation
1258:45	USA542	roger direct modena u s air five forty two
1258:47	R55	u s air five forty two roger maintain flight level two eight zero and your normal speed
1258:51	USA542	kay up to two eight zero normal speed u s air five forty two
1258:53	R55	t w a three maintain flight level two six zero



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1258:56	TWA3	t w a three heavy leaving two two for two six zero
1258:59	R55	zero mike juliet maintain flight level two three zero
1259:02	N50MJ	(unintelligible) two three zero mike juliet
1259:04	R55	american two eighty one contact the new york center on one three point four seven
1259:09	AAL281	thirty three four seven american two eighty one good day
1259:21	R55	u s air five forty two um did you say you thought it was a dark paint scheme
1259:27	USA542	no it was a light colored paint scheme with a dark tail i thought it was a delta airplane
1259:30	Unknown	stop all the yardley traffic
1259:32	R55	okay understood u s air five forty two thank you and i'm sorry i didn't ah turn you into him head on as quick as i could have i was busy talking to the guy right in front of you
1259:34	Unknown	okay stop the ah lanna and the biggys
1259:40	USA542	we coulda joined up but ah
1259:44	R55	yeah no ah i was actually much more concerned about the possibility of you gettin too close to him u s air five forty two thanks for your help contact new york on one three four point three two

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1259:44	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1259:53 1300	USA542	four thirty two u s air five forty two so long
1300:02	R55	taca five eighty climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1300:08	R55	i need to talk to the taca if he's there
1300:20	R55	liberty south yardley eighty eight line
1300:25	R55	liberty south yardley eighty eight line
1300:26	N90LIBS	south
1300:27	R55	taca five eighty climb him to twenty eight
1300:29	N90LIBS-1	he's
1300:30	N90LIBS-2	taca
1300:30	N90LIBS-1	he's already switched over though
1300:31	N90LIBS-2	your talking to him
1300:32	R55	no i'm not
1300:32	N90LIBS-1	you should have him
1300:33	N90LIBS-1	taca five eighty contact new york center one three four point six

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1300:36	R55	no climb him
1300:36	N90	(unintelligible)
1300:37	R55	no climb him
1300:38	TAI580	one three four point six good day
1300:40	N90LIBS-1	taca
1300:40	N90LIBS-2	taca five eighty climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1300:47	TAI580	new york center good morning taca five eighty checking in with you leaving correction is level one seven thousand
1300:54	R55	taca five eighty new york center maintain flight level two eight zero
1300:58	TAI580	two eight zero taca five eighty thank you
1301:02	R55	t w a eight eighty five maintain flight level two eight zero contact new york one three four three two
1301:04	ZBW IGN	elmira kingston ninety three
1301:07	TWA885	thirty four thirty two good luck and we'll see ya
1301:10	R55	thanks t w a three maintain flight level two seven zero
1301:13	TWA3	t w a three heavy leaving two six for two seven zero



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1301:15	R55	continental two eleven ah amend your altitude to flight level two six zero
1301:19	COA211	okay we'll stop at two six zero continental two eleven
1301:22	R55	november zero mike juliet maintain flight level two six zero that's your final
1301:26	N50MJ	two six zero that'll be final mike juliet
1301:28	R55	november five zero mike juliet contact new york one three four point three two
1301:33	Unknown	east texas are you going to take that candler
1301:34	N50MJ	three four three two great job mike juliet
1301:34	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1301:35	R55	bye bye
1301:40	Unknown	november
1301:43	CJC5981	colgan fifty nine eighty one ah fifteen point three for one seven thousand
1301:47	R55	colgan fifty nine eighty one new york center roger
1301:59	ZBW SWF	lake henry ninety three stewart manual handoff
1302:11	R55	t w a three maintain flight level two eight zero

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1302:14	TWA3	t w a three heavy we'll climb and maintain two eight zero
1302:16	R55	t w a three heavy thanks contact new york on one three four point three two we'll see ya
1302:20 1303	TWA3	thirty four thirty two good day t w a three heavy
1303:27	R55	colgans fifty nine eighty one climb and maintain flight level two zero zero
1303:30	CJC5981	any chance of one eight oh
1303:32	R55	yeah ah maintain flight level one eight zero
1303:34	CJC5981	very good thank you fifty nine eighty one
1303:36	ZBW IGN	hey east texas ninety three kingston
1303:37	ZDC SIE	dixie ninety nine this is sea isle with a handoff nine one bravo zulu
1303:41	R55	continental two eleven maintain flight level two eight zero
1303:44	COA211	maintain two eight zero continental two eleven
1303:47	ZBW IGN	east texas call kingston when you get a moment please
1303:47	R55	continental two eleven roger contact new york one three four point three two
1303:51	COA211	one three four three two continental two eleven good day

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1303:54	R55	good day
1303:56	AWE193	hello new york cactus one ninety threes ah one four thousand climbing one seven thousand (unintelligible) from manta sector says hi
1304:03	ZBW IGN	new york center are you there east texas
1304:04	R55	cactus ah one ninety three (unintellibible) new york center roger ah ah i'll have higher for you in just a moment
1304:09	AWE193	roger
1304:18	R55	cactus one ninety three can you guys see the city from behind you there
1304:24	AWE193	ah not anymore
1304:26	R55	okay
1304:28	AWE193	it looked like the ah world trade center's on fire
1304:31	R55	yes its a boeing seven fifty seven we think just flew into the air into the building
1304:38	AWE193	are you you're not kidding right
1304:40	R55	no i'm not kidding
1304:43	AWE193	oh shit

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1304:44	R55	yes sir cactus one ninety three climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1304:49	AWE193	uh flight level two eight uh you gotta pardon me i'm just as shocked two eight zero cactus uh whoever i am one ninety three
1305:00	R55	cactus one ninety three roger
1305:05	Unknown	listening to c b s news on ah twelve ten they think it was a small twin
1305:10	R55	yeah i i hope so we had air several aircraft identify it as a seven fifty seven
1305:16	Unknown	unbelieveable
1305:21	N90LIBW	yardley west eighty eight
1305:22	Unknown	(unintelligible) was he a departure or an arrival
1305:24	R55	we don't know we think it was a hijack
1305:27	Unknown	that's (unintelligible) we were waiting number one and ah ah waiting for take off and ah i don't even remember a seven five taking off in quite awhile
1305:36	R55	yeah we don't know where he came from sir actually um we're really not certain taca five eighty taca contact the new york center one three four point three two
1305:46	TAI580	one three four point three two good day sir taca five eighty



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1305:49	R55	good day
1305:51 1306	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1306:33	DAL9900	center delta ninety nine hundred twelve and a half for seventeen
1306:37	R55	was that delta ninety nine hundred calling
1306:40	DAL9900	yes sir it was twelve seven for seventeen thousand
1306:44	R55	delta ninety nine hundred new york center roger proceed direct to the byrdd intersection i'll have higher for you in just a moment
1306:48	DAL9900	direct to byrdd ninety nine hundred
1307:00	R55	continental eleven sixty seven are you on
1307:02	COA1167	ah just got the handoff we're at sixteen three for seventeen
1307:05	R55	continental eleven sixty seven new york center maintain flight level one niner zero
1307:09	COA1167	up to one niner zero continental eleven sixty seven
1307:13	R55	delta ninety nine hundred can you see manhattan
1307:16	DAL9900	yes sir
1307:17	R55	can you see anything un unusual



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1307:19	DAL9900	ah we took off and saw the plane ram the south tower it looks to be about maybe two hundred feet high and there's still some smoke all the way around
1307:28	R55	okay thank you sir
1307:39	ZDC CYN	hey kennedy coyle ninety nine
1307:46	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1307:52	DAL9900	and ah we watched it just after it happened and it's continuing to escalate in the amount of smoke so i guess they haven't got it under control
1308:00	R55	okay
1308:07	R55	waterski fifty four eleven new york
1308:11	R55	liberty west yardley eighty eight
1308:14	N90LIBW	west
1308:15	R55	ah waterski fifty four eleven put him on a two seventy heading to join and send him over
1308:17	N90LIBW	ah i'm sorry here he comes
1308:18	R55	two seventy to join please thank you
1308:19	N90LIBW	check
1308:22	R55	continental eleven sixty seven ah say your heading

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1308:27	COA1167	two forty five
1308:29	R55	continental eleven sixty seven roger climb and maintain flight level two one zero
1308:33	COA1167	up to two one zero continental eleven sixty seven
1308:35	R55	cactus one ninety three contact the new york center one three four point three two
1308:40	AWE193	one three four three two cactus one ninety three
1308:45	LOF5411	center good morning waterski fifty four eleven one four thousand to join ah victor three
1308:50	R55	waterski fifty four eleven new york center roger the ah philadelphia altimeters three zero one seven
1308:52	ZBW IGN	talk to you later hey ah i got one southwest coming to you is he alright he's a jet eighty guy
1308:56	LOF5411	three zero one seven thanks fifty four ah eleven
1308:58	R55	delta ninety nine hundred climb and maintain flight level two two zero
1309:02	DAL9900	delta ninety nine hundred two two oh
1309:03	ZBW IGN	hey elmira kingston
1309:53	R55	delta ninety nine hundred climb and maintain flight level two eight zero

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1309:56 1310	DAL9900	delta ninety nine hundred two eight oh
1310:03	R55	delta ninety nine hundred have you got an a m radio
1310:05	DAL9900	ah yes sir not often used i think we can figure it out why
1310:10	R55	okay listen well listen ah alot of the major antennas were on top of the world trade center see if you can get anything on one zero one zero or six six zero
1310:20	DAL9900	okay
1310:24	Unknown	ten ten is up
1310:31	Unknown	six sixty's talking about it
1310:32	R55	okay there was delta ninety nine hundred there was a couple of aircraft type that i was talking to tried to identify the aircraft in question and they they think it might have been a delta aircraft
1310:45	DAL9900	oh oh
1310:46	ZDC CYN	hey kennedy coyle you want us to ah go into a hold
1310:46	R55	(unintelligible) hard to say they said ah light paint scheme with a dark tail its about as close as we could get
1310:54	DAL9900	okay you say its sixty ah six sixty or what was the frequency
1310:58	R55	ten ten

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1310:59	DAL9900	(unintelligible)
1311:01	Unknown	we're getting news on nine eighty and twelve ten they they think it might be two aircraft
1311:06	R55	yeah there is a lot of talk there were we had ah a couple of aircraft looked like they got hijacked and and ah yeah i i know at least one of them hit the world trade center we don't know what happened to the other aircraft maybe both of them went in
1311:22	LOF5411	(unintelligible) new york fifty four eleven
1311:24	R55	yes sir
1311:25	LOF5411	ah we're listening to six sixty two different plane crashes ah one ah swept wing jet type airliner and we were talking to the last controller and he said he was tracking one at over five hundred five hundred knots going into the city
1311:30	ZBW IGN	east texas kingston (unintelligible)
1311:31	ZBW IGN	(unintelligible)
1311:37	R55	yeah that's the one that hit the world trade center
1311:42	ZBW IGN	elmira are you going to be able to take that guy i gave phillipsburg belair if not i'll take him around another way
1311:42	R55	continental eleven sixty seven climb and maintain flight level two five zero
1311:48	COA1167	up to two five zero continental eleven sixty seven



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1312:00	ZBW IGN	southwest
1312:33	ZBW IGN	elmira ninety three
1312:41	ZBW IGN	actually it's something else elmira kingston
1313:00	R55	waterski fifty four eleven contact new york center now one three five point four five
1313:05	LOF5411	three five four five waterski fifty four eleven we'll see ya
1313:07	R55	okay
1313:11	R55	delta ninety nine hundred contact new york center one three ah four point three two thirty four point thirty two
1313:18	DAL9900	thirty four thirty two delta ninety nine hundred we'll see ya
1313:31	R55	continental eleven sixty seven maintain flight level two seven zero now
1313:36 1314	COA1167	up to two seven zero continental eleven sixty seven
1314:12	Unknown	and five romeo xray whats your destination
1314:15	CJC5981	center colgan fifty nine eighty one
1314:18	R55	um colgan fifty nine eighty one say again
1314:18	Unknown	(unintelligible)



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1314:19	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1314:19	CJC5981	i just wanted to make sure we didn't miss a frequency change
1314:21	Unknown	elmira ninety three
1314:22	R55	no i have one here for you in a moment i'm just giving me ah time to ah recoup here
1314:27	CJC5981	everything alright
1314:29	R55	well not really umph
1314:31	CJC5981	crazy day huh
1314:32	R55	(unintelligible) you heard what happened right
1314:34	CJC5981	i've heard there's one ah maybe two aircraft hijacked into the world trade center
1314:38	R55	yeah yeah (unintelligible) and he went right through all our traffic through this airspace here
1314:44	CJC5981	do you know if it was one or two
1314:45	R55	ah two is what the word is we had one come right from here and then one from ah the southwest
1314:53	R55	(unintelligible) we're not sure where they came from or anything or who they were i think they thought one was a delta one was american



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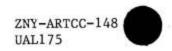
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1314:59	CJC5981	it was a five seven and a three seven
1315:01	R55	yeah i think that's what they're reporting
1315:05	CJC5981	unbelievable
1315:06	R55	yeah we're pretty shook up here ah colgan fifty nine eighty one contact new york center now one ah three four point three two have a good day
1315:13	CJC5981	can you repeat that
1315:14	R55	ah thirty four thirty two oh no im sorry thats wrong one thirty five forty five
1315:21	CJC5981	thirty five forty five take a deep breath and ah we'll see you later have a good one
1315:25	R55	take care
1315:26	R55	continental eleven sixty seven climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1315:30	COA1167	up to two eight zero continental eleven sixty seven
1315:33	R55	continental eleven sixty seven contact new york center one three four point three two
1315:44	R55	continental eleven sixty seven new york center one three four point three two
1315:47 1316	COA1167	three four three two continental eleven sixty seven



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Memorandum

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This transcription covers the New York Center Radar Associate Sector 55 position for the time period from September 11, 2001, 1248 UTC, to September 11, 2001, 1317 UTC.

Agencies Making Transmissions	Abbreviations
New York Center Radar Sector 55	R55
American Airlines Inc. Flight 151	AAL151
Hawker Siddley N3TA	N3TA
American Airlines Inc. Flight 281	AAL281
Unknown Agency	Unknown
Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 45	DAL45
New York Center Radar Associate Sector 55	RA55
Trans World Airlines Inc. Flight 885	TWA885
Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 2315	DAL2315
U S Air Flight 542	USA542
New York Center Sector 09	SEC09
U S Air Flight 1973	USA1973
Delta Airlines Flight 289	DAL289
Boston Center Kingston Sector	ZBW IGN
Gates Learjet N50MJ	N50MJ
Trans World Airlines Inc. Flight 3	TWA3
Washington Center Dupont Sector	ZDC-DUP
Continental Air Lines Inc. Flight 211	COA211
New York TRACON	N90
New York Center Sector 36	SEC36
New York TRACON, Liberty South Sector	N90-LIBS
Pennsylvania Commuter Airlines Inc. Flight 3525	ALO3525
New York Center Radar Sector 25	R25



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Boston Center Stewart Sector	ZBW SWF
Washington Center Sea Isle Sector	ZDC SIE
America West Airlines Flight 193	AWE193
New York TRACON, Liberty West Sector	N90-LIBW
Delta Airlines Inc. Flight 9900	DAL9900
Continental Air Lines Inc. Flight 1167	COA1167
Washington Center Coyle Sector	ZDC CYN
Trans States Airlines, Inc. Flight 5411	LOF5411

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New York ARTCC

1248 1249		
1249:06	R55	american one fifty one traffic's no factor climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1249:11	AAL151	ah we're out of two seven zero for two eight zero american one fifty one
1249:15	R55	hawker three tango alpha maintain flight level two eight zero
1249:18	N3TA	two eight zero three tango alpha
1249:19	R55	hawker three tango alpha contact new york one three four point three two
1249:23	N3TA	thirty four one two er ah say the frequency for three tango

alpha again



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1249:26	R55	thirty four thirty two
1249:28	N3TA	thirty four thirty two three tango alpha
1249:29	R55	american one fifty one maintain i just did it already twenty eight already right
1249:33	AAL151	that's affirmative twenty eight
1249:34	R55	american one fifty one contact new york one three four three two
1249:37	AAL151	thirty four thirty two good day
1249:39	R55	american two eighty one turn twenty degrees right radar vectors for traffic
1249:43	AAL281	twenty two zero degrees to the right american ah two eighty one
1249:47	R55	delta forty five climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1249:50	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1249:52	R55	delta forty five climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1249:55	DAL45	delta forty five climbing to two eight zero
1249:57	RA55	(unintelligible) to hand allegheny twenty five twenty five radar



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1250 1250:01	Unknown	thank you
1250:02	TWA885	one seven thousand
1250:04	R55	t w a eight eighty five heavy new york center good morning
1250:06	TWA885	morning
1250:19	DAL2315	hello new york good morning delta twenty three fifteen with you at two eight oh
1250:23	R55	delta twenty three fifteen new york center good morning
1250:48	USA542	ah new york center u s air five forty two level one seven thousand
1250:50	R55	u s air five forty two new york center roger
1250:55 1251	R55	u s air five forty two climb and maintain flight level two seven zero
1251:01	SEC09	fifty five nine
1251:02	RA55	fifty five
1251:03	SEC09	try u s air five forty nine for sector nine please
1251:06	RA55	u s air five forty nine for sector nine



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1251:09	SEC09	and also u s air nineteen seventy three i need him at two hundred fifty knots on a two ninety heading
1251:14	RA55	two fifty knots
1251:15	SEC09	and my control for turns back
1251:16	RA55	on a two nine zero heading
1251:17	SEC09	uh hum
1251:18	RA55	thank you
1251:19	SEC09	alright
1251:25	R55	t w a eight eighty five climb and maintain flight level two two zero
1251:29 1252	TWA885	flight level two two zero t w a eight eight five heavy
1252:14	R55	american two eighty one direct larri on course
1252:17	AAL281	okay back direct larri american two eighty one
1252:27	R55	u s air nineteen seventy three reduce speed to two five zero
1252:30	USA1973	two fifty u s air nineteen seventy three
1252:31	R55	delta forty five maintain flight level two seven zero



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1252:36	DAL45	delta forty five two seven zero
1252:37	R55	thank you u s air nineteen seventy three fly heading two niner zero radar vectors for in trail spacing
1252:42	USA1973	two nine zero u s air ah nineteen seventy three
1252:45	R55	u s air nineteen seventy three contact new york one three four three two
1252:55	R55	u s air nineteen seventy three contact new york one three four three two
1252:58	USA1973	three four three two u s air nineteen seventy three
1253:00	R55	delta two eighty nine contact new york one three four three two
1253:08	DAL289	delta two eighty nine three four three two
1253:14	ZBW IGN	he's not here ah east texas
1253:17	N50MJ	new york center lear november five zero mike juliet out of sixteen three for seventeen thousand one seven thousand
1253:23	R55	lear november five zero mike juliet new york center roger
1253:34	R55	that's a hijacked aircraft it's an american boeing seven fifty seven
1253:37	SEC09	and he's going southbound



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1253:38	R55	we have no idea what he's doing
1253:40	SEC09	okay
1253:41	R55	okay
1253:42	SEC09	alright
1253:43	R55	thank you
1253:43	SEC09	alright
1253:44	RA55	we better watch this guy
1253:58	TWA3	new york t w a three heavy sixteen six for one seven thousand
1254:02	R55	t w a three heavy new york center roger good morning maintain flight level two two zero
1254:06	TWA3	maintain flight level two two zero t w a three heavy
1254:11	R55	u s air five forty two reduce speed to two eight zero
1254:14	USA542	we're at two eighty now u s air five forty two
1254:16	R55	because i said the wrong word i'm sorry sir u s air five forty two maintain two hundred and fifty knots please
1254:21	USA542	slow to two fifty u s air five forty two



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1254:27	R55	delta twenty three fifteen delta twenty three fifteen turn left immediately to a heading of two zero zero
1254:33	DAL2315	left turn immediately two zero zero delta twenty three fifteen
1254:36	R55	roger traffic one o'clock ten miles turning into your face descending out of thirty one it's a hijacked aircraft we don't know what he's doing
1254:43	DAL2315	twenty three fifteen
1254:44	R55	u s air five forty two turn left heading two zero zero
1254:48	USA542	lest two zero zero u s air five forty two
1254:50	R55	five zero mike juliet maintain flight level two one zero
1254:54	N50MJ	out of seventeen for two one zero mike juliet
1254:56	R55	delta twenty three fifteen the traffic is now at your well if your heading on a two hundred heading he's about your two o'clock and about seven ah looks like thirty point six descending
1255:06	DAL2315	ah we have him in sight sir
1255:08	R55	delta twenty three fifteen roger
1255:12	DAL2315	ah traffic in sightyeah he's in sight

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1255:16	R55	okay you can maneuver as necessary to avoid that aircraft sir i do not know what he's doing
1255:28	R55	delta twenty three fifteen any evasive action you need to take is approved
1255:37	R55	delta twenty three fifteen can you tell me what kind of aircraft that is and whose companys
1255:43	Unknown	blocked
1255:44	R55	delta twenty three fifteen can you tell me what kind of aircraft it is and whose company
1255:48	DAL2315	ah he's going behind us sir i'm gonna try to get a good look at him delta twenty three fifteen
1255:52	R55	u s air five forty two you see him there at twelve o'clock and five eastbound twenty eight and eight
1255:56	USA542	affirmative ah we got an r a on him we're ah leveling here
1256:00	R55	okay you can ah u s air five forty two fly heading of two niner zero now radar vectors for your climb
1256:04	USA542	kay two niner zero u s air five forty two
1256:07	R55	delta twenty three fifteen he's behind you now you can turn right to a heading of two eight zero and join the airway
1256:11	DAL2315	ah yes sir and ah didn't get a good look at him but it was a darker paint scheme



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1256:15	R55	okay u s air five forty two can you tell who he is
1256:18	USA542	is that the guy that was right ahead of us
1256:19	R55	yes it is
1256:20	USA542	it looks like a delta airplane to me
1256:22	R55	okay it looks like a delta seven five
1256:23	ZBW IGN	kingston ninety three handoff american
1256:24	USA542	yes
1256:26	R55	delta forty five maintain flight level two seven zero and contact new york one three four three two
1256:37	R55	u s air five forty two was it a seven five seven
1256:39	Unknown	blocked
1256:40	R55	u s air five forty two was it a seven five seven
1256:42	USA542	yeah it looked like a seven fifty seven
1256:45	RA55	dupont yardley ninety nine line
1256:49	ZDC-DUP	dupont



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1256:50	RA55	yeah um i got two point outs for you at yardley squawking one three two three code he's at twenty	
1257		nine twenty eight going direct to modena if i can	
1257:01	ZDC-DUP	uh that's approved	
1257:01	RA55	ok and right behind him two three two four code be turning back toward j seventy five	
1257:11	ZDC-DUP	two three two four code ah point approved	
1257:14	RA55	ok thanks	
1257:15	Unknown	concur with the guy behind us	
1257:19	R55	okay thank you delta twenty three fifteen direct modena on course	
1257:23	TWA3	center t w a three	
1257:24	R55	yes	
1257:25	TWA3	(unintelligible) aircraft now at ah it looks like three o'clock	
1257:28	R55	okay can you see what ah the livery was	
1257:33	TWA3	ah its dark paint scheme and ah if i was guessing i would say united but ah that would be just a guess	
1257:39	R55	okay	



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1257:42	Unknown	(unintelligible) level seventeen thousand
1257:45	R55	continental two eleven new york center roger climb to flight level two eight zero
1257:46	COA211	we're leaving seventeen for two eight zero continental two eleven
1257:53	R55	t w a
1257:54	RA55	west yardley eighty eight
1257:59 1258	RA55	west yardley eight eight
1258:04	RA55	south yardley eight eight
1258:07	RA55	tracon better pick up here on the eighty eight line
1258:14	RA55	south yardley eighty eight
1258:16	N90	yes
1258:18	RA55	five northwest of robbinsville squawking three three two one ya see him he's at twenty four descending
1258:25	N90	don't see nothing in there no pri
1258:28	RA55	ten northwest of uh robbinsville three three two one code put it in your computer he's a hijack or somethin we have no idea



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1258:31	N90	three three two one code
1258:35	RA55	three three two one code
1258:35	N90	what da ya wanna stop taca or what
1258:38	RA55	say again
1258:39	N90	whatta want me to do stop taca you workin taca
1258:40	RA55	ok we want ya to stop all traffic we want ya to keep the cactus on your frequency (unintelligible) and we don't know what he's doin he's running all over the place from thirty one all the way down and he's descending right now have no idea where he's goin or what he's doin ok and we want you to stop all traffic
1258:56	N90	ok
1258:57	RA55	they i'll take whattcha got in the air out keep it until you're clear of this guy
1259:00	N90	alright thank you
1259:03	RA55	west yardley eighty eight
1259:04	SEC09	fifty five from nine
1259:05	N90	west



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1259:06	RA55	hold on ah look at a code uh fifteen north of of robin of robbinsville three three two one code he's descending
1259:12	N90	just north of robbinsville
1259:13	RA55	at twenty one say again
1259:16	N90	the point out with the south guy
1259:18	RA55	yeah he he's a hijack or something we have no idea what he is he's outta out of twenty descending
1259:21	N90	ok i got it i'm watchin him
1259:23	RA55	ok keep your traffic until your clear of him and then they want you to stop all traffic
1259:27	N90	ok (unintelligible)
1259:28	RA55	fifty five
1259:31	Unknown	yeah
1259:32	Unknown	at yardley (unintelligible)
1259:33	R55	i was busy talking to the guy right in front of you
1259:34	Unknown	okay stop the ah lanna and the biggys



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1259:40	USA542	we coulda joined up but ah
1259:41	SEC09	fifty five nine
1259:44	RA55	yeah i've gotta turn my volume up yes
1259:46	SEC09	i'll take five zero mike juliet at flight level two six zero okay
1259:47	RA55	okay
1259:48	SEC09	give it to him as a final okay
1259:49	RA55	twenty six as a final
1259:51	R09	thank you
1259:53 1300	USA542	u s air five forty two so long
1300:02	R55	taca five eighty climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1300:10	RA55	thirty six fifty five
1300:11	SEC 36	thirty six
1300:12	RA55	thirty three twenty one code ah he should be outta your airspace through but you got the uh kennedy inbounds wanna look for him
1300:15	SEC 36	three twenty one



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1300:17	RA55	thirty three twenty one see him gettin there
1300:19	Unknown	yardley
1300:23	Unknown	say again
1300:24	Unknown	no no where is he
1300:26	RA55	south of robbinsville north of north of robbinsville southeast of solberg he's going down he's out of (unintelligible) i think he's uh uh hijack i have no idea what he's doin
1300:33	N90-LIBS	taca five eighty contact new york center one three four point six
1300:36	N90	(unintelligible)
1300:50	RA55	kennedy
1300:51	N90	he's already over to you
1300:53	RA55	no ok kennedy (unintelligible)
1300:54	Unknown	hey you got any idea who that point out was
1300:55	RA55	nope but everybody's on it and its i think its a hijack of some sort they can't even tell what kind of airplane it is uh can you point him out to kennedy approach (unintelligible) take a look at him



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1301:05	N90	everybody's watchin em
1301:06	RA55	ok thanks
1301:10	R55	thanks t w a three maintain flight level two seven zero
1301:13	TWA3	t w a three heavy leaving two six for two seven zero
1301:15	R55	continental two eleven ah amend your altitude to flight level two six zero
1301:19	COA211	okay we'll stop at two six zero continental two eleven
1301:22	R55	november zero mike juliet maintain flight level two six zero that's your final
1301:26	N50MJ	two six zero that'll be a final mike juliet
1301:28	R55	november five zero mike juliet contact new york one three four point three two
1301:28	Unknown	east texas are you going to take that candler
1301:33	N50MJ	three four three two great job mike juliet
1301:34	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1301:35	R55	bye bye



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1301:38	ALO3525	allegheny thirty five twenty five's with you one two twelve thousand
1301:41	RA55	twenty five
1301:42	R25	allegheny thirty five twenty five new york center roger baltimore altimeter three zero one niner
1301:45	R25	go ahead fifty five
1301:46	RA55	seven one four (unintelligible)
1301:48	R25	what's that
1301:49	RA55	seven one four up on the corner
1301:52	R25	five zero mike juliet point out approved
1301:53	RA55	thank you
1301:59	ZBW SWF	lake henry ninety three stewart manual handoff
1302:11	R55	t w a three maintain flight level two eight zero
1302:14	TWA3	t w a three heavy we'll climb and maintain two eight zero
1302:16	R55	t w a three heavy thanks contact new york on one three four point three two we'll see ya



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1302:20	TWA3	thirty four thirty two good day t w a three heavy
1303		•
1303:20	Unknown	no more planes right you're not lettin anybody else off
1303:22	Unknown	alright no more planes
1303:27	RA55	south yardley eighty eight
1303:34	N90-LIBS	yardley south eighty eight you gonna take cactus one ninty three
1303:36	ZBW IGN	hey east texas ninety three kingston
1303:37	ZDC SIE	dixie ninety nine this is sea isle with a handoff nine one bravo zulu
1303:41	R55	continental two eleven maintain flight level two eight zero
1303:45	COA211	maintain two eight zero continental two eleven
1303:47	ZBW IGN	east texas call kingston when you get a moment please
1303:47	R55	continental two eleven roger contact new york one three four point three two
1303:51	COA211	one three four three two continental two eleven good day



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1303:54	R55	good day
1303:56	AWE193	hello new york cactus one ninety threes ah one four thousand climbing one seven thousand (unintelligible) from manta sector says hi
1304:03	ZBW IGN	new york center are you there east texas
1304:04	R55	cactus ah one ninety three (unintellibible) new york center roger ah ah i'll have higher for you in just a moment
1304:09	AWE193	roger
1304:18	R55	cactus one ninety three can you guys see the city from behind you there
1304:24	AWE193	ah not anymore
1304:26	R55	okay
1304:28	AWE193	it looked like the ah world trade center's on fire
1304:31	R55	yes it's a boeing seven fifty seven we think just flew into the air into the building
1304:38	AWE193	are you you're not kidding right
1304:40	R55	no i'm not kidding
1304:43	AWE193	oh shit



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1304:44	R55	yes sir cactus one ninety three climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1304:49	AWE193	uh flight level two eight uh you gotta pardon me i'm just as shocked two eight zero cactus uh whoever i am one ninety three
1305:00	R55	cactus one ninety three roger
1305:05	Unknown	listening to c b s news on ah twelve ten they think it was a small twin
1305:10	R55	yeah i i hope so we had air several aircraft identify it as a seven fifty seven
1305:16	Unknown	unbelievable
1305:21	N90-LIBW	yardley west eighty eight
1305:22	Unknown	(unintelligible) was he a departure
1305:24	RA55	yardley
1305:27	N90-LIBW	um do you want us to hold everybody now or
1305:31	RA55	no if you have em in the air we'll take em but they don't want anybody else to get off did you see what happened
1305:33	N90-LIBW	ah



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1305:34	RA55	this seven fifty seven just crashed into the world trade center
1305:36	N90-LIBW	yeah we we ah we saw it
1305:37	RA55	yeah um well he came from the west i don't know where but um we'll take what you got in the air but they don't want anything getting off right now
1305:45	N90	alright
1305:46	RA55	i mean everything's in kind of chaos
1305:47	N90	everybody's like
1305:48	RA55	i think there was two of em there's two of em
1305:49	N90	everybody's like in shock over here too
1305:49	RA55	yeah ah we're a little trembly over here too
1305:50	N90	okay
1305:52 1306	RA55	okay
1306:01	N90	alright
1306:03	Unknown	we'll try him again



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1306:33	DAL9900	center delta ninety nine hundred twelve and a half for seventeen
1306:37	R55	was that delta ninety nine hundred calling
1306:40	DAL9900	yes sir it was twelve seven for seventeen thousand
1306:44	R55	delta ninety nine hundred new york center roger proceed direct to the byrdd intersection i'll have higher for you in just a moment
1306:48	DAL9900	direct to byrdd ninety nine hundred
1307:00	R55	continental eleven sixty seven are you on
1307:02	COA1167	ah just got the handoff we're at sixteen three for seventeen
1307:05	R55	continental eleven sixty seven new york center maintain flight level one niner zero
1307:09	COA1167	up to one niner zero continental eleven sixty seven
1307:13	R55	delta ninety nine hundred can you see manhattan
1307:16	DAL9900	yes sir
1307:17	R55	can you see anything un unusual



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1307:19	DAL9900	ah we took off and saw the plane ram the south tower it looks to be about ah maybe two hundred feet high and there's still some smoke all the way around
1307:28	R55	okay thank you sir
1307:39	ZDC CYN	hey kennedy coyle ninety nine
1307:46	Unknown	coyle ah um
1307:47	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1307:52	DAL9900	and ah we watched it just after it happened and it's continuing to escalate in the amount of smoke so i guess they haven't got it under control
1308:00	R55	okay
1308:07	R55	waterski fifty four eleven new york
1308:23	R55	continental eleven sixty seven ah say your heading
1308:27	COA1167	two forty five
1308:29	R55	continental eleven sixty seven roger climb an
1308:31	Unknown	five five



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1308:32	RA55	yeah
1308:34	Unknown	point out three nine nine climbing
1308:38	RA55	south west fifteen oh five point out approved
1308:40	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1308:41	AWE193	one three four three two cactus one ninety three
1308:49	LOF5411	center good morning waterski fifty four eleven one four thousand to join ah victor three
1308:50	R55	waterski fifty four eleven new york center roger the ah philadelphia altimeters three zero one seven
1308:52	ZBW IGN	talk to you later hey ah i got one southwest coming to you is he alright he's a jet eighty guy
1308:56	LOF5411	three zero one seven thanks fifty four ah eleven
1308:58	R55	delta ninety nine hundred climb and maintain flight level two two zero
1309:02	DAL9900	delta ninety nine hundred two two oh
1309:03	ZBW IGN	hey elmira kingston



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1309:53	R55	delta ninety nine hundred climb and maintain flight level two eight zero
1309:56 1310	DAL9900	delta ninety nine hundred two eight oh
1310:03	R55	delta ninety nine hundred have you got an a m radio
1310:05	DAL9900	ah yes sir not often used i think we can figure it out why
1310:10	R55	okay listen well listen ah alot of the major antennas were on top of the world trade center see if you can get anything on one zero one zero or six six zero
1310:20	DAL9900	okay
1310:24	Unknown	ten ten is up
1310:31	Unknown	six sixty's talking about it
1310:32	R55	okay there was delta ninety nine hundred there was a couple of aircraft type that i was talking to tried to identify the aircraft in question and they they think it might have been a delta aircraft
1310:45	DAL9900	uh oh



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1310:46	ZDC CYN	hey kennedy coyle you want us to ah go into a hold yet if you can answer me
1310:53	RA55	who's he calling
1310:55	N90	coyle ah kennedy
1310:57	RA55	look we're in ah an air traffic zero here we're taking (unintelligible) all our planes here
1311:00	N90	okay
1311:01	RA55	what do you need
1311:02	N90	that's all i want to know we got it so we can start putting em in
1311:03	RA55	we just had a plane crash into the world trade center (unintelligible)
1311:04	N90	yeah we saw (unintelligible)
1311:05	RA55	yeah
1311:06	R55	yeah there is alot of talk there were we had ah a couple of aircraft looked like they got hijacked and and ah yeah i i know at least one of them hit the world trade center we don't know what happened to the other aircraft maybe both of them went in



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1311:23	LOF5411	four eleven
1311:24	R55	yes sir
1311:25	LOF5411	ah we're listening to six sixty two different plane crashes ah one is swept wing jet type airliner and we were talking to the last controller and he said he was tracking one at over five hundred five hundred knots going into the city
1311:30	ZBW IGN	east texas kingston (unintelligible)
1311:37	R55	yeah that's the one that hit the world trade center
1311:42	ZBW IGN	elmira are you going to be able to take that guy i gave phillipsburg belair if not i'll take him around another way
1311:48	COA1167	up to two five zero continental eleven sixty seven
1312:00	ZBW IGN	southwest
1312:33	ZBW IGN	elmira ninety three
1312:41 1313 1314	ZBW IGN	actually it's something else elmira kingston
1314:14	Unknown	and five romeo xray what's your destination



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1314:19 Unknown

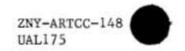
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Administration

Memorandum

Subject:

INFORMATION: Full Transcript;

Aircraft Accident; UAL175; New York, NY;

September 11, 2001

From:

New York ARTCC

Date: May 2, 2002

Reply to Attn. of:

To: Aircraft Accident File ZNY-ARTCC-148

This transcription covers the Traffic Management Unit, Arrival Director position for the time period from September 11, 2001, 1224 UTC, to September 11, 2001, 1330 UTC.

Agencies Making Transmissions	Abbreviations
Traffic Management Unit, Arrival Director	AD1
Boston Center, Traffic Management Unit	ZBW
Cleveland Center, Traffic Management Unit	ZOB
Air Traffic Control System Command Center	ATCSCC
Unknown Agency	Unknown
Acting Air Traffic Division	
Manager, New England Region	ANE-500
New York Center, Supervisor Traffic Management	STMC1
New York Center, Operations Manager In Charge	OMIC
Office of Civil Aviation Security Intelligence	ACI
Washington Center, Traffic Management Unit	ZDC
New York TRACON	N90
Williamsport Air Traffic Control Tower	IPTT

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Martin & Fournier

Quality Assurance Specialist

New York ARTCC

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1226 1227 1228 1229 1229:20	AD1	new york center
1229:22	ZBW	hi new york boston is on right waiting for cleveland
1229:27	AD1	what do you got for us
1229:28	ZOB	cleveland
1229:33	ZBW	hi cleveland new york boston ah i got a little situation with american one one american eleven he is a uh seven fifty seven departed boston going to l a x um we don't know where the aircraft is going he um in ah supposedly going to l a x that was going westbound we lost his ah frequency then we lost his transponder and now the aircraft is ah just west of albany heading due south
1229:59	ZOB	oh my goodness ok do we have do we have his ah a data block on him who's got the ah
1230:06	ZBW	yeah we we ah its a primary target presently heading ah ah it's southwestbound
1230:11	ZOB	ok um understand i'll i'll advise the area
1230:15	ZBW	(unintelligible) right now
1230:18	ZBW	the last altitude ah observed was uh flight level two niner zero

and you say he's heading southbound

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1230:22	ZBW	heading southwestbound he's like towards ah hancock uh right a right around there he's uh southwest of albany by one five miles
1230:33	AD1	and you have no idea where he's going
1230:34	ZBW	no idea sir
1230:35	AD1	all rightee
1230:37	ATCSCC	you can tag him on the t s d (unintelligible)
1230:39	AD1	yeah i got him tagged you say he's primary only
1230:41	ZBW	primary only
1230:42	AD1	ok we'll watch him
1230:43 1231 1232 1233 1234 1235 1236 1237 1238 1239 1240 1241 1242 1243 1244 1245 1246 1247 1248	ZBW	(unintelligible) thank you



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1249 1249:02	Unknown	hey terry tom try otis also
1249:05	Unknown	we did
1249:07	Unknown	anything any luck
1249:09	Unknown	no we did not have any luck that's why we down to atlantic city
1249:12	Unknown	ok
1249:13	ANE-500	excuse me catarone acting air traffic division manager new england region is also on
1249:19	STMC1	ok command center you on
1249:23	ATCSCC	command centers on
1249:26	STMC1	ok are you are you i guess boston's getting in touch with atlantic city but do you have any direct line to the military ah for this incident
1249:33	ATCSCC	i believe the supervisor's going to the carf unit now
1249:36	STMC1	ok
1249:43	STMC1	here's some new information we ah we lost the primary target about twenty west of kennedy looks like and theres
1250		an elt report in that area
1250:02	STMC1	anybody copy



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1250:04	ZBW	i'm sorry say that again please
1250:07	STMC1	i said we we've well let me double looks like we lost a primary target about twenty west of kennedy and we had a report of an elt in the area we're gonna ah i guess we'll ah get some coast guard activity up there
1250:22	ZBW	yeah we lost the track too
1250:24	OMIC	ok boston this is new york ah what type of aircraft was the american
1250:27	ZBW	seven sixty seven
1250:37	ACI	this is the a c i watch say again if you lost uh track of the aircraft over
1250:43	ZBW	boston has lost track and on our frequency we had confirmed it was a hijack also on the tapes
1250:49	STMC1	yeah new york confirms we've lost the track as well and we were ah we got a report of an elt in the area that the track was in
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1251:03	STMC1	kennedy tower reports
1251:04	Unknown	are you serious
1251:05	STMC1	kennedy tower reports that there was a fire at the world trade center and that's ah that's the area where we lost the airplane
1251:50	STMC1	anybody on

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1251:53	ZBW	yeah boston's here
1251:54	ATCSCC	yeah ah you on on c n n news its on the news
1252:00	ATCSCC	it's on the news
1252:01	STMC1	its on the news the airplane hit the trade center
1252:02	ATCSCC	yeah
1252:12 1253 1254	STMC1	ok i i guess there's more no further use for new york center
1255 1255:59 1256	AD1	new york center
1256:01	ATCSCC	hi new york waiting for boston here ah having some difficulties with the a r routes down to miami and fort lauderdale wash is on here gonna need your help getting some of those guys inland you can go ahead and start with new york if you'd like bos ah wash
1256:18	ZDC	i'm sorry um i'm was just talking about that airplane thing that just happened
1256:22	ATCSCC	yeah
1256:23	ZDC	close the the a rs are closed now to miami and fort lauderdale make sure everybody's routed inland and you can go tell ah
1256:27	ZBW	boston



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1256:28	ZDC	hey boston and new york a rs are closed to miami and fort lauderdale route em all inland so ah til ah route the til ah until thirteen thirty for you guys
1256:36	Unknown	i understand
1256:37 1257 1258 1259 1300 1301 1302	ZDC	thanks
1302:41	ATCSCC	okay
1302:41	ZBW	and and this is
1302:42	AD1	new york center
1302:45	ZBW	new york
1302:46	AD1	yeah
1302:47	ZBW	boston here um i'm ground stopped going into you
1302:49	AD1	yes please do because we've got another we've got a major problem here it's ground stop them all until i get back to you
1302:54	ZBW	ok
1302:55	AD1	alright
1302:57	ATCSCC	hey new york new york

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1302:58	AD1	yes
1302:59	ATCSCC	um do we need to ground stop more then just boston
1303:01	AD1	well we've had a hit somebody hit the world trade center we've got another one aiming we just lost em we lost the second one now
1303:06	Unknown	somebody just said we had another one hit the world trade center
1303:09	AD1	we just had a second one hit the world trade center now you've got two
1303:11	ATCSCC	okay (unintelligible) going to and from new york center
1303:13	AD1	yes listen you got a second one just hit the world trade center you better ground stop everything coming here
1303:17 1304	ATCSCC	ok alright here we go
1304:55	AD1	new york center
1304:59 1305	AD1	new york center
1306 1306:33	AD1	new york center
1306:34	N90	yeah new york i need you to stop all arrival traffic into new york metropolitan area
1306:38	AD1	yeah stand by one second



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1306:38	ATCSCC	ah can you
1306:39	ZBW	boston center
1306:40	N90	boston center i need you to stop all traffic into the new york tracon airspace
1306:42	AD1	command center
1306:44	ZBW	yeah we stopped everything
1306:45	ATCSCC	we got that (unintelligible) tracon
1306:45	AD1	command center
1306:46	N90	okay thank you
1306:46	AD1	command center this is new york center forty eight hey wanda forty nine well new york centers at a t c zero
1306:47	ATCSCC	(unintelligible) everybody
1306:47	N90	thank you
1306:48	ATCSCC	alright
1306:49	N90	okay
1306:52	ATCSCC	say again
1306:53	AD1	a t c zero for new york center



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1306:55	ATCSCC	all right ah
1306:55	Unknown	yeah (unintelligible) canadian orah
1306:55 1307 1308 1309 1310	ATCSCC	yeah
1311:58	AD1	new york center
1311:59	ATCSCC	yeah severe weather's gonna try to work up routes around new york
1312:01	Unknown	okay
1312:01	AD1	new york center
1312:03	ATCSCC	yeah we new york ah just telling everybody we're ah ground stopping everybody landing or transiting ah new york center (unintelligible)
1312:09	AD1	yeah anything that's airborne they is not coming through here and don't let anything else off
1312:13	ATCSCC	ok you got it
1312:13	AD1	okay
1312:55	AD1	new york center
1312:57	ATCSCC	ah new york you can hang up we already got your ah we're just letting everybody know you're a t c zero

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1313:02 1314 1315 1316 1317 1318 1319 1320	AD1	thank you
1321 1321:49	ZDC	washington
1321:51	ATCSCC	standby please
1321:53	N90	new york tracon joe
1321:54	IPTT	williamsport
1321:55	ATCSCC	standby please
1321:56	IPTT	williamsport
1321:57	ATCSCC	standby please
1321:58	IPTT	williamsport
1321:59 1322	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1322:03	ATCSCC	standby please
1322:07	ATCSCC	has this already been done
1322:09	IPTT	williamsport



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1322:10	N90	tracon watch desk
1322:14	ATCSCC	disregard this is the at a t c zero for new york center does everybody have that
1322:22	Unknown	(unintelligible)
1322:24	ATCSCC	standby please
1322:28	ATCSCC	new york centers declaring this is the command center time now is one three two two zulu new york center has declared a t c zero at this time anybody that has any aircraft inbound to the new york center area needs to find a place to hold em outside find a place to put them elsewhere again this is the command center time is one three two two z new york center has declared a t c zero at this time
1322:50	IPTT	williamsport got that (unintelligible)
1322:55 1323 1324 1325 1326 1327 1328 1329 1330	ATCSCC	command center's out

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Federal Aviation Administration

Memorandum

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Aircraft Accident; UAL175; New York, NY;

September 11, 2001

From:

New York ARTCC

Reply to Attn. of:

To: Aircraft Accident File ZNY-ARTCC-148

This transcription covers the New York Center Operations Manager In Charge (OMIC) position for the time period from September 11, 2001, 1230 UTC, to September 11, 2001, 1344 UTC.

Agencies Making Transmissions	Abbreviations
New York Center-Area C Operations Supervisor	Area C-OS
New York Center-Operations Manager In Charge	ZNY OMIC
New York Center-Area F Operations Supervisor	Area F-OS
New York Center-Air Traffic Manager	ATM
Boston Center-Operations Manager In Charge	BOS OMIC
New York Center-Area B Controller In Charge	B-CIC
New York Center-Area B Operations Supervisor	Area B-OS
Eastern Region Quality Assurance Office	AEA500
Cleveland Center-Operations Manager In Charge	ZOB OMIC
Air Traffic Control System Command	
Center-NAS Operations Manager	CC-NOM
Unknown Agency	Unknown
24th Air Division	Huntress
Washington Center-Operations Manager In Charge	ZDC OMIC
New York Center Support Manager	
for Quality Assurance	ZNY505

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1240:14	Area C-OS	c alfaro
1240:16	ZNY OMIC	hey charlie ah area b just got a point out from boston on the american
1240:20	Area C-OS	yeah i was just talking to the rockdale sup he says thinks he's down by kingston headed southbound toward area b sector
1240:25	ZNY OMIC	yeah area b sector got a point out so you guys can unregard at least for the time being
1240:28	Area C-OS	thanks very much
1240:29 1241	ZNY OMIC	ok
1241:13	Area F-OS	f wolfgang

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1241:14	ZNY OMIC	hey wolfie if you get a chance uh american eleven on you're ah eleven a on the t s d being worked by fifty six took off from boston ostensibly going to l a ah and he's a primary no comms ah you know anything's possible with this guy but he's heading last reported at twenty nine grand he's heading from the north directly to overhead kennedy i don't know if he's going to continue out to the east and clip you guys or go down into washington or whatever but just ah
1241:40	Area F-OS	eleven a
1241:42	ZNY OMIC	yeah that's the track they just started on him he's really american eleven but this
1241:45	Area F-OS	ok
1241:45	ZNY OMIC	could be you know what
1241:47	Area F-OS	yup
1241:48	ZNY OMIC	yup
1241:49 1242 1243	Area F-OS	bye
1244 1244:17	ATM	the floor
1244:19	ZNY OMIC	hi mike
1244:21	ATM	hey bruce do you know anything about a hijack
1244:23	ZNY OMIC	we're just finding out that it through american airlines that confirms terrorist activity yes on american eleven

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1244:27	ATM	yeah american eleven flight level two nine zero
1244:30	ZNY OMIC	yes we confirmed that through radar verification from other aircraft american airlines says uh they know of they feel that at least one stewardess might have been stabbed they're not sure of the situation they don't think that there uh crew is in control of the aircraft
1244:45	ATM	ok um i'm also told that it's a primary target only
1244:48	ZNY OMIC	primary target only no comms
1244:50	ATM	and in the vicinity of albany
1244:54	ZNY OMIC	no it's ah just coming up on kennedy we we're well ahead of where whatever they paged you on on that one
1244:58	ATM	ok are we
1245:00	ZNY OMIC	heading southbound
1245:01	ATM	are we watching it
1245:02	ZNY OMIC	yes
1245:03	ATM	are we separating
1245:04	ZNY OMIC	best we can yes
1245:05	ATM	are we separating from it

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1245:05	ZNY OMIC	affirmative
1245:06	ATM	ok ah what sector would that be in
1245:07	ZNY OMIC	it's in ah forty two slant fifty six at the moment
1245:09	ATM	ok gottcha i'm walking to area b right now
1245:11	ZNY OMIC	ok
1245:13	ATM	bye
1245:31	ZNY OMIC	new york center watch desk barrett
1245:32	BOS OMIC	hey bamm this is terry boston how you doin
1245:34	ZNY OMIC	good
1245:35	BOS OMIC	hey that american eleven
1245:36	ZNY OMIC	yes
1245:37	BOS OMIC	that's that's real
1245:38	ZNY OMIC	yes we found out
1245:39	BOS OMIC	are you guys
1245:41	ZNY OMIC	from american airlines

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1245:43	BOS OMIC	yes i see you guys are still
1245:44	ZNY OMIC	just about yeah we're tracking him and he's just around kennedy confirmed at two nine zero et cetera so
1245:46	BOS OMIC	ok
1245:46	ZNY OMIC	thank you
1245:47	BOS OMIC	yeah we're still driving airplanes through it he's been slowin down so we don't know if he's gonna descend or not
1245:49	ZNY OMIC	right
1245:50 1246	BOS OMIC	but ah just so you guys know our last known frequency was one two six ah one two seven point eight two what was happening was as the conversation was going on in the cockpit they someone was ah keying their mike so that would go out over the air
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1246:03	ZNY OMIC	ok
1246:04	BOS OMIC	and they were real threats
1246:05	ZNY OMIC	alright
1246:06	BOS OMIC	gotcha thanks terry
1246:08	ZNY OMIC	ok bye bye
1246:12	ZNY OMIC	oh get real they're insane

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1246:20	B-CIC	area b
1246:21	ZNY OMIC	hi is paul around
1246:22	B-CIC	yep
1246:22	ZNY OMIC	evanna
1246:23	B-CIC	hang on
1246:23	ZNY OMIC	i want to talk to him
1246:31	B-CIC	john
1246:32	ZNY OMIC	bruce
1246:35	B-CIC	oh bruce hang on just a sec
1246:40	Area B-OS	tell woodstown what's going on tell them i don't want any traffic anywhere near this guy okay
1246:42	Area B-OS	yeah bruce
1246:43	ZNY OMIC	yeah i would keep traffic away from him too
1246:44	Area B-OS	ok i'm
1246:44	ZNY OMIC	you don't know if he's gonna descend
1246:45	Area B-OS	correct

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1246:46	ZNY OMIC	whatever so thank you
1246:47	Area B-OS	we just flew a
1246:48	ZNY OMIC	that's all i wanted to say
1246:49	Area B-OS	the chiefs here with me we just flew a guy over at thirty one he did not verify he was at twenty nine
1246:53	ZNY OMIC	did not
1246:54	Area B-OS	did not see him
1246:55	ZNY OMIC	ok
1246:56	Area B-OS	ok
1246:58	ZNY OMIC	thanks
1246:59 1247	Area B-OS	bye
1248 1248:59	ZNY OMIC	new york center watch desk barrett
1249:01	AEA500	hey bruce ronnie how you doing
1249:03	ZNY OMIC	um i've had better mornings what's up
1249:05	AEA500	ah is mike there mccormick
1249:06	ZNY OMIC	he's in area b

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1249:08	AEA500	ok cause i've got to find out about this american eleven
1249:09	ZNY OMIC	what do ya mean you got to find out
1249:11	AEA500	you know this hijack
1249:12	ZNY OMIC	yeah
1249:13	AEA500	i have some information on it ah where is he is he coming toward new york airspace
1249:16	ZNY OMIC	he's already halfway through new york's airspace ronnie
1249:19	AEA500	oh
1249:20	ZNY OMIC	southwest southwest of kennedy now
1249:21	AEA500	he's southwest of kennedy
1249:22	ZNY OMIC	yeah
1249:24	AEA500	ok alright ah which way is he headed now
1249:25	ZNY OMIC	its confirmed terrorist he's well best we can tell its south
1249:30	AEA500	ok south of kennedy
1249:31	ZNY OMIC	yeah
1249:32	AEA500	alright how's everything else goin how are the kids doin

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1249:34	ZNY OMIC	good thanks
1249:35	AEA500	ok i'll talk to ya
1249:36	ZNY OMIC	thanks
1249:37 1250 1251	AEA500	bye
1252 1252:23	B-CIC	area b
1252:24	ZNY OMIC	yeah ah is mike mccormick there please
1252:27	B-CIC	sure
1252:28	ZNY OMIC	bruce
1252:29	B-CIC	standby
1252:48	ATM	ok
1252:50	ZNY OMIC	hey mike
1252:55	ATM	ok hold on one i'm on i'm on two phones at the same time alright who's who's this calling me on area b line
1252:56	ZNY OMIC	bruce
1252:58	ATM	ok bruce what do ya got

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1252:59	ZNY OMIC	ah we just got reports that ah there's been a fire at the world trade center newark said it looked like impact
1253:04	ATM	right
1253:05	ZNY OMIC	from an aircraft
1253:06	ATM	ok
1253:07	ZNY OMIC	it's on fire
1253:08	ATM	so newark newark tower's confirming that
1253:11	ZNY OMIC	that's what we were hearing oh and they're saying it's on c n n
1253:14	ATM	ok alright yeah go ahead and put bob on alright bruce
1253:16	ZNY OMIC	ok
1253:19	ATM	i got the tracon on
1253:33	ZNY OMIC	watch desk barrett
1253:36	Area F-OS	my wife says something just hit the world trade center
1253:38	ZNY OMIC	yeah they're sayin it's on c n n
1253:40	Area F-OS	yeah the (unintelligible)

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1253:40	ZNY OMIC	i'm afraid it is
1253:41	Area F-OS	shit shit
1253:43	ZNY OMIC	and we had reports of ell ts and the next thing we're hearing that and a fire and smoke it looked like an explosion per newark and so
1253:49	Area F-OS	alright thanks
1253:51 1254 1255 1256 1257 1258 1259 1300	ZNY OMIC	alright man bye
1300:56 1301	ZNY OMIC	they're not even picking up the damn phone
1301:40	ZNY OMIC	they're already flying
1301:44 1302	ZNY OMIC	now they think it's this code right here a new one
1302:06	ZNY OMIC	they're not even picking up the phone mike but we do have military aircraft in the air felser's there's already a couple of f fifteens up they just want to know who it was so we pointed out the target on the united
1302:47	ZNY OMIC	rapid descent right toward the city down to down below two thousand already
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1303:17	ZNY OMIC	i think we ground stop it all in and out ground stop everything mike we gotta go to a t c ah zero or whatever ah we're just stopping everything right now

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1304 1305 1306 1307 1308 1309 1310 1310:23	ZNY OMIC	new york center watch desk barrett
1310:24	ZOB OMIC	this is kim at cleveland you are not a t c zero is that correct
1310:27	ZNY OMIC	we are a t c zero affirmative
1310:29 1311	ZOB OMIC	ok we were not told that so we need to know that thank you
1311:08	ZNY OMIC	new york center watch desk barrett
1311:09	CC-NOM	ah barrett this is ben sliney the nom at the ah command center uh do you have any further update on why you're a t c zero
1311:16	ZNY OMIC	yeah because of the two ah terrorist activites that went on
1311:20	CC-NOM	ok so because of those two aircraft (unintelligible) do you know the identity of the second aircraft or either aircraft
1311:26	ZNY OMIC	well we don't have any confirmations on that that would probably have to come from on ground people we suspect
1311:30	CC-NOM	i am asking do you have any preliminary
1311:33	ZNY OMIC	we suspect american eleven and united one seventy five is the best we can ascertain

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1311:36	CC-NOM	where did united one seventy five uh where was he to and from do you know
1311:39	ZNY OMIC	uh no
1311:40	CC-NOM	ok
1311:41	ZNY OMIC	it's kind of chaotic he was coming off from the from the metro area i believe going to l a
1311:46	CC-NOM	metro to 1 a so was american flight was boston to 1 a
1311:48	ZNY OMIC	right
1311:50	CC-NOM	alright and uh do you have military involvement i'm ah given (unintelligible)
1311:53	ZNY OMIC	affirm there were yes there were military the aircraft up i don't know how many and where they are but they were up um
1311:59	CC-NOM	do you know where that military these military flights emanated
1312:01	ZNY OMIC	no i don't
1312:08	CC-NOM	ok do you have anything else to tell me uh that haven't asked you
1312:10	ZNY OMIC	uh no not at the moment to be honest ben
1312:13	CC-NOM	ok i'll i'll be back with you thanks

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1312:15 1313 1314 1315 1316	ZNY OMIC	ok
1317 1317:42	ZNY OMIC	new york center watch desk barrett
1317:44	AEA500	hey umm it's sue zurlo how are ya
1317:46	ZNY OMIC	not good how are you
1317:47	AEA500	ahh i know is mike mccormick standing around there
1317:49	ZNY OMIC	no he's not
1317:50	AEA500	umm any clue like where he went
1317:54	ZNY OMIC	ahh he's down in the control room floor or he's back in his office i don't know
1317:58	AEA500	ok he's not in his office is there anyway we can have him paged is there a paging system
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1318:01	ZNY OMIC	yeah sure
1318:03	AEA500	thank you
1318:05	ZNY OMIC	and you need him for what sue
1318:07	AEA500	well he needs to come up on a headquarters telcon now

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1318:11	ZNY OMIC	ok what do you have a number for him
1318:12	AEA500	i do but i'd rather give it to him personally thank you
1318:14	ZNY OMIC	well you know you can take as long as you want to do that that's ok umm we'll page him to call you is that what you want
1318:22	AEA500	umm actually i'd like to hold can you get him to respond to you
1318:27	ZNY OMIC	hold on
1318:28 1319	AEA500	thank you
1320 1320:13	ZNY OMIC	center watch desk barrett
1320:15	Unknown	hey bruce mike is getting a number
1320:18	ZNY OMIC	uh ok thanks
1320:20	Unknown	on his own number but he said he doesn't want anybody from area b released until he gets to talk to em please
1320:25 1321 1322 1323	ZNY OMIC	ok got it thanks
1324 1324:58	ZNY OMIC	new york center watch desk barrett
1325:00	ATM	hey bruce it's mike

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1325:01	ZNY OMIC	yeah
1325:04	ATM	i'm gonna be a telcon with headquarters so i'll be off the floor for a while dave will be my point of contact if you need anything
1325:06	ZNY OMIC	ok i'm telling the people ah that they can call in o t to get people out when and if ah they have a chance to go through discussions prior to right now we're trying to get them out and on break
1325:15	ATM	ok
1325:17	ZNY OMIC	a lot of them are really shook
1325:19	ATM	also you should know that the t f r world trade center three thousand feet and below uh after things stabilize then we'll come off the a t c zero but ah we'll talk about that when we get off this headquarters telcon
1325:28	ZNY OMIC	gottcha thanks
1325:29 1326	ATM	ok thanks
1326:10	Unknown	did you hear that bruce
1326:12	ZNY OMIC	what
1326:14	Unknown	indy just lost an american
1326:18	Huntress	surveillance todd richman

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1326:19	ZNY OMIC	yeah this new york center bruce barrett i'm the operations manager in charge
1326:20	Huntress	yes
1326:21	ZNY OMIC	i was given this number to call
1326:24	Huntress	ok
1326:25	ZNY OMIC	reference an american
1326:25	Huntress	ok go ahead
1326:26	ZNY OMIC	who we believe might be still flying
1326:27	Huntress	alright
1326:31	ZNY OMIC	alright i'm asking
1326:32	Huntress	oh is he still flying um hold on i gotta
1326:35	ZNY OMIC	who are you asking sir me or someone else
1326:38	Huntress	standby
1326:43	Huntress	new york center
1326:45	ZNY OMIC	yes
1326:46	Huntress	um what do you need to know

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1326:47	ZNY OMIC	well we got word to call this number and there was an unconfirmed report that american eleven might still be in the air
1326:53 1327	Huntress	ok hold on
1327:14	ZNY OMIC	how you doin
1327:19	Huntress	sir
1327:20	ZNY OMIC	yes
1327:21	Huntress	right now um we're not sure we can't confirm that it's still flying or not
1327:24	ZNY OMIC	ok if you get any information uh you will be in contact with the a t c facilities to ensure that they uh have that information
1327:31	Huntress	yes
1327:33	ZNY OMIC	thank you very much
1327:34 1328 1329	Huntress	ok
1329:27	ZNY OMIC	new york center watch desk barrett
1329:28	Huntress	hi this is huntress calling um i was told to give you a buzz
1329:29	ZNY OMIC	ok

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1329:32	Huntress	by our mission crew commander any information i guess three aircraft out of boston are missing and apparently two of them had hit the world trade center and one is en route to washington did you get that information
1329:41	ZNY OMIC	i didn't know about the third one i knew about
1329:44	Huntress	yeah
1329:45	ZNY OMIC	two aircraft into the world trade center uh
1329:48	Huntress	american one one
1329:49	ZNY OMIC	yes
1329:50	Huntress	is not the aircraft that crashed
1329:51	ZNY OMIC	not
1329:53	Huntress	it is still airborne did you get that information
1329:54	ZNY OMIC	no thank you just called and i'm glad i got that
1329:55	Huntress	that's
1329:56	ZNY OMIC	airborne and uh
1329:59	Huntress	we don't know where it is though it's headed towards washington was the last known information

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1330:05	ZNY OMIC	ok and uh there's another aircraft that's missing in addition
1330:07	Huntress	right
1330:07	ZNY OMIC	alright
1330:09	Huntress	and i don't know but somebody's gotta get the president going this is not good
1330:11	ZNY OMIC	well i'm amazed we're not at a higher level of uh defcon readiness already
1330:16	Huntress	oh yeah we just went up i'm not gonna say too much right now
1330:18	ZNY OMIC	ten four
1330:19	Huntress	but uh i wanna give you a heads up
1330:20	ZNY OMIC	i appreciate the information it helps a lot
1330:21	Huntress	do you have any information though where american one one is or
1330:23	ZNY OMIC	no we lost him uh only on a primary target about uh five to ten miles southwest of kennedy v o r and uh
1330:33	Huntress	ok
1330:36	ZNY OMIC	and uh



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1330:37	Huntress	just wanna say one more thing to you
1330:38	ZNY OMIC	yes
1330:39	Huntress	uh washington i don't know if they don't think this is serious or not but they are not unless they hear from like the centers if you could give them a heads up and let them know that this is
1330:46	ZNY OMIC	washington who washington center
1330:48	Huntress	washington center
1330:49	ZNY OMIC	ok
1330:50	Huntress	um they're not
1330:51	ZNY OMIC	taking it seriously
1330:52	Huntress	not at all
1330:53	ZNY OMIC	we'll let them know
1330:54	Huntress	ok sir
1330:55	ZNY OMIC	you got it
1330:56	Huntress	thanks
1330:56	ZNY OMIC	bye now

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1331 1331:44	ZDC OMIC	washington center watch desk sweeney
1331:46	ZNY OMIC	hey this is bruce barrett at new york i just got a call from huntress uh
1331:50	ZDC OMIC	about the american eleven
1331:51	ZNY OMIC	yeah
1331:52	ZDC OMIC	yeah we got the same call we were ah weren't we just got ah the air major just got off the phone with boston hold on one second
1331:59	ZDC OMIC	new york go ahead
1332:01	ZNY OMIC	yeah hey jack
1332:03	ZDC OMIC	this is terry
1332:04	ZNY OMIC	terry
1332:05	ZDC OMIC	yeah
1332:06	ZNY OMIC	bruce
1332:07	ZDC OMIC	yeah
1332:08	ZNY OMIC	uh uh huntress just called me and gave me some further information as much as they could on a non secure line but for some reason they felt that uh and this is only relay don't shoot the messenger that

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1332:14	ZDC OMIC	ok
1332:15	ZNY OMIC	that washington center wasn't taken it as seriously as what's been goin on and said well i'll do you the favor and call over to washington center just to follow through on that
1332:23	ZDC OMIC	this was huntress
1332:25	ZNY OMIC	yeah
1332:27	ZDC OMIC	ok i'm gonna i'll call em back i have no idea what they're talking about cause
1332:28	ZNY OMIC	i didn't think you would
1332:29	ZDC OMIC	i haven't even i haven't even talked to em
1332:30	ZNY OMIC	gottcha
1332:31	ZDC OMIC	but i'll call em
1332:32	ZNY OMIC	ok
1332:33 1333	ZDC OMIC	thanks
1333:31	ZNY OMIC	q a
1333:32	ZNY505	i'm q a
1333:33	ZNY OMIC	yes

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1333:34	ZNY505	i'm sorry brucie	
1333:34	ZNY OMIC	yeah	
1333:35	ZNY505	do me a favor tell everybody to be checkin for primaries that are sitting at a site they lost an american seventy seven at flight level three five zero in indy around york and kentucky and uh they're not sure let's check and see if we see a primary coming across coming back this way or in any direction	
1333:51	ZNY OMIC	york kentucky	
1333:52	ZNY505	yeah uh went down at flight level three five zero didn't go down they just lost everything	
1333:57	ZNY OMIC	that was indy right	
1333:58	ZNY505	that was indy but we just wanna see if anybody's coming acrossok	
1334:00	ZNY OMIC	thanks got it	
1334:01 1335 1336 1337	ZNY505	thank you	
1337:56	ZNY OMIC	new york center watch desk barrett	
1337:57	ZDC OMIC	hey new york washington center watch desk	
1337:59 1338	ZNY OMIC	yes	

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1338:01	ZDC OMIC	hey ah just north of well robbinsville about thirty miles northeast i just wanna verify that you guys are aware of a ah thirty four oh one code up there at flight level one eight zero that's just spinning up there
1338:12	ZNY OMIC	thirty four oh one code uh i'll check thanks for the heads up
1338:17	ZDC OMIC	he's right over kennedy or just south
1338:18	ZNY OMIC	i see him that's the f fifteen
1338:20	ZDC OMIC	yeah oh it is
1338:22	ZNY OMIC	yeah
1338:23	ZDC OMIC	ok thanks
1338:24 1339 1340 1341 1342 1343 1344	ZNY OMIC	alright

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Administration

Memorandum

September 26, 2001

Subject:

INFORMATION: Partial Transcript:

Aircraft Accident; UAL175; New York, NY;

September 11, 2001

From:

New York ARTCC

Reply to Attn. of:

To: Aircraft Accident File ZNY-ARTCC-148

This transcription covers the Military Operations Specialist position (MOS) for the time period from September 11, 2001, 1244 UTC, to September 11, 2001, 1258 UTC.

Agencies Making Transmissions

Northeast Air Defense Center, 24th Air Division

New York Center Military Operations Specialist

Abbreviations

Huntress

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Martin J. Pournier

Quality Assurance Specialist

New York ARTCC

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Huntress

huntress i d (unintelligible) can i help you

1249:52 MOS

yes hi

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1249:53	MOS	good morning this is new york military calling at new york center
1249:55	Huntress	yeah how you doing
1249:57	MOS	good good ah our ah watch supervisor needs a number for a possible hijacking ah he wants to call somebody in case hey need some assistance with your uh fighter jets
1250:05	Huntress	alrightee um our phone number is gonna be d s n or commercial
1250:09	MOS	uh it would be commercial out there
1250:10	Huntress	ok it's gonna be area code three one five
1250:13	MOS	three one five
1250:14	Huntress	um no they want the commercial number
1250:17	MOS	they don't have d s n
1250:18	Huntress	thirty three four yeah they don't have d s n mel
1250:21	Huntress	its gonna be three one five three three four whats the number for the f c c six three six four
1250:27	MOS	six three six four and what would be the person the title of the person they would be calling

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1250:33	MOS	or the facility
1250:34	Huntress	they go ahead and call the northeast air defense center it would be the i d section
1250:36	MOS	ok northeast air defense i d sector thank you very much
1250:39	Huntress	thank you
1250:40	MOS	(unintelligible) foxtrot romeo
1250:41	Huntress	bye bye
1250:42 1251 1252 1253 1254 1255 1256 1257 1258	MOS	bye

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U.S. Department of Transportation

Federal Aviation Administration

Memorandum

Subject:

INFORMATION: Full Transcript;

Date: May 2, 2002

Aircraft Accident; UAL175; New York, NY;

September 11, 2001

From: N

New York ARTCC

Reply to Attn. of:

To: Aircraft Accident File ZNY-ARTCC-148

This transcription covers the New York Center Radar Traffic Management Unit (TMU) Departure Coordinator position for the time period from September 11, 2001, 1245 UTC, to September 11, 2001, 1316 UTC.

Agencies Making Transmissions	Abbreviation	
John F. Kennedy Tower	JFKT	
New York Center TMU Departure Coordinator	TMU-DC	
Newark Tower	EWR	
Unknown Agency	Unknown	
Philadelphia Approach	PHL	
New York TRACON	N90	

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Martin J. Fournier

Quality Assurance Specialist

New York ARTCC

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1250 1250:05	JFKT	hello
1250:06	TMU-DC	hey kennedy new york center i got a question for ya
1250:07	JFKT	yeah go ahead
1250:08	TMU-DC	um anything goin on out there out the windows
1250:09	JFKT	ah just ah out of the trade center
1250:12	TMU-DC	whats goin on over there
1250:15	JFKT	there's a fire at the world trade center (unintelligible)
1250:19	TMU-DC	ok cause we might have a problem up there did you guys see any did ah you knowjust give you a little blurb that we got an american flight that apparently was ah hijacked with terrorist activity we lost we lost his transponder a little bit west of kennedy and now they say we're pickin up an e l t and you're saying there's a fire at the world trade center
1250:34	JFKT	wow yeah there is (unintelligible) before
1250:36	TMU-DC	you guys didn't see i mean you guys didn't see anything happen or anything
1250:39	JFKT	nah i didn't see anything happen though



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1250:40	TMU-DC	so yeah i don't know but i mean this guy was trackin boston to l a and all of a sudden he just started doing these wiggles and waggles and we found out that there was some kinda terrorist activity going on
1250:48	JFKT	oh really
1250:50	TMU-DC	and uh now we've lost the target completely he was about ten or fifteen west of kennedy when we lost it
1250:55	JFKT	alright we'll check it out though
1250:56	TMU-DC	alright thanks
1250:57 1251	JFKT	thanks
1251:19	TMU-DC	that's what i'm saying you know if this guy's bringin it back down around kennedy right to the city boom you know thats the spot (unintelligible)
1251:24	EWR	yeah newark
1251:25	TMU-DC	yeah newark anything goin on out the windows out there
1251:27	EWR	the world trade center's on fire
1251:28	TMU-DC	yeah you know what the well unfortunately we have a feeling that might be an an american jet went down into there
1251:33	EWR	are you serious



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1251:35	TMU-DC	uh we were workin a well we had a guy up there and apparently he was being hijacked with terrorist activity going on and we lost his target about uh fifteen miles west of kennedy
1251:41	EWR	the world trade center is uh it looked like an explosion hit the world trade center
1251:45	TMU-DC	yeah well that's probably what is was then well we're i you know we're thinkin that's what it was
1251:49	EWR	alright
1251:50	TMU-DC	cause we we're trackin this guy and we lost him right about there
1251:52	EWR	alright
1251:53	TMU-DC	alright thanks
1251:53	EWR	check
1251:53 1252 1253 1254 1255 1256 1257	TMU-DC	bye bye
1257:26	TMU-DC	yeah newark
1257:27	EWR	ah newark ah you know i had somebody told me oh i just got upstairs somebody told me that you guys said that it might have been american



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1257:35	TMU-DC	yes
1257:37	EWR	american who
1257:38	TMU-DC	ah apparently from boston to 1 a there was american eleven alpha i think they're calling it that was going up north bound and all of a sudden it just started tracking hard south apparently from relayed from boston to us it was confirmed with terrorist activity on board we were tracking and tracking it then ah i guess that we had a primary target on it the target disappeared about fifteen west of kennedy started picking up and ah got reports of e 1 ts and the next thing we know the world trade center's on fire
1258:00	EWR	okay
1258:01	TMU-DC	so i mean thats thats
1258:01	EWR	do you know what type airplane
1258:02	TMU-DC	thats all we um i don't know what type airplane it was i think originally it was a seven six however they're saying here that basically ah i guess until we get it confirm a confirmation that was it then ah i guess technically it's still being hijacked somewhere and it was something else hit the world trade center
1258:19	EWR	wow
1258:19	TMU-DC	so i mean technically we we don't know for sure but i mean ah you know the coincidence is there
1258:25	EWR	alright if you find out what type airplane give me a call back please



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1258:27	TMU-DC	um let me just hang on one sec
1258:30	EWR	yeah see if you can just pull up his flight plan
1258:32	TMU-DC	the flight plan i have was showing ah a seven well see they just typed in a seven five here cause we were just tracking out of l a i mean boston center would they're saying it's a seven sixty seven yeah pete said to me it was definitely a seven sixty seven
1258:43	EWR	okay thank you
1258:44	TMU-DC	but again you know ah you know we're putting one and we're putting two and two together here with any you know
1258:47	EWR	yeah
1258:48	TMU-DC	with any luck
1258:48	EWR	yeah
1258:49	TMU-DC	who knows
1258:49	EWR	alright i'll call the manager
1258:50	TMU-DC	alright
1258:50	EWR	thanks
1258:50	TMU-DC	good bye



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1259:00	TMU-DC	new york t m u
1259:01	Unknown	hi i got a white stop uh is it ah volume for you guys if it is how long do you think it might be
1259:06	TMU-DC	uh i didn't know anything about it stand by
1259:07 1300	Unknown	ok
1301 1301:50 1302	TMU-DC	might be a whole wave of stuff goin on
1302:56	EWR	yeah newark
1302:57	TMU-DC	yeah newark look out the windows we're gettin ah we're showing another target descending rapidly the same as
1303:01	EWR	oh no it just went into another one just crashed into the world trade center
1303:04	TMU-DC	another one
1303:06	EWR	oh my god we just (unintelligible) oh my god the building it just exploded
1303:10	TMU-DC	yep ok thank you there
1303:11	EWR	oh my god
1303:12	TMU-DC	thanks buddy
1303:51	PHL	philly approach



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1303:52	TMU-DC	ah yeah philly do me a favor ground stop all airplanes coming out of your place uh goin to new york center we just had a we just had a second airplane hit the trade center
1303:59	PHL	ok
1304:00	TMU-DC	some kinda terrorist stuff goin on
1304:02	PHL	ok
1304:03	TMU-DC	so stop everything
1304:04	PHL	alright
1304:04	TMU-DC	thank you
1304:13	N90	tracon carl
1304:14	TMU-DC	yeah tracon stop everything coming into new york center
1304:16	N90	wilco
1304:16	TMU-DC	we're stopping everything
1304:17	N90	wilco
1304:17	TMU-DC	there was the second hit
1304:18	N90	wilco



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1304:19 1305 1306 1307 1308 1309 1310	TMU-DC	thanks
1310:27	N90	traffic management
1310:29	TMU-DC	yeah how you doin umm do you do you guys think there's gonna be any problem with the stuff we got in the air now takin that comin in
1310:31	N90	yeah uh we're not we're not uh operations suspended at newark and laguardia
1310:33	TMU-DC	ok so you guys aren't gonna take anything period
1310:35	N90	that's correct
1310:36	TMU-DC	ok thanks
1310:37 1311 1312 1313 1314 1315 1316	N90	yup

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Federal Aviation Administration

Memorandum

Subject:

INFORMATION: Full Transcript;

Date: January 17, 2002

Aircraft Accident; UAL175; New York, NY;

September 11, 2001

From:

New York ARTCC

Reply to Attn. of:

To: Aircraft Accident File ZNY-ARTCC-148

This transcription covers the New York Center Traffic Management Unit (TMU) "1078" Commercial Phone Line extension for the time period from September 11, 2001, 1255 UTC, to September 11, 2001, 1316 UTC.

Agencies Making Transmissions	Abbreviations
New York Center TMU Arrival Director One	AD1
New York TRACON	N90
Unknown Agency	Unknown
New York Center Area C Operations Supervisor	Area C OS
New York Center TMU Arrival Director Two	AD2

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Quality Assurance Specialist

New York ARTCC

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1300:41 AD1

he's descending rapid ah pretty quick too

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1300:45	N90	new york tracon this is joe
1300:46	AD1	hey joe you see three two one code just southwest of newark by about fifteen eighteen twenty miles
1300:51	N90	uh hold on
1300:52	AD1	fifteen thousand descending
1300:53	N90	lookin hold on southwest of newark by about fifteen twenty
1300:55 1301	AD1	yeah
1301:02	N90	lookin i don't see the guy yet
1301:03	N90	what's his callsign
1301:04	AD1	we don't know
1301:07	N90	don't know
1301:07	AD1	it's another one that's ah
1301:08	N90	don't see anything
1301:12	AD1	they were trackin em made a hard left turn he's descending pretty rapidly and especially what just happened in there
1301:19	N90	i don't see anything pete

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1301:21	N90	i got somebody who keeps coasting but it looks like he's goin into one of the small airports down there
1301:27	AD1	wait a second no
1301:28	N90	(unintelligible)
1301:30	AD1	this guys a big boy this guys a big boy cause he's leaving some big contrails
1301:34	AD1	hold on a second i'm trying to bring him up here and and get you there he is right there hold on
1301:43	Unknown	*(eight)
1301:44	AD1	yeah he's about seven miles uh
1301:46	Unknown	there he is (unintelligible)
1301:47	N90	got him just out of ninety five hundred nine thousand now
1301:49	AD1	do you know he is
1301:50	N90	we're just we just we don't know who he is we're just pickin him up now
1301:51	AD1	alright heads up man it looks like another one comin in
1301:56	N90	alright alright thanks
1301:57	AD1	check

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1302		
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1303:35	N90	tracon traffic management
1505.55	1490	tracon traine management
1303:37	AD1	did a second one just hit
1303:38	N90	apparently so
1303:39	AD1	alrightee
1303:39	N90	ok
1303:40	AD1	yup
1303:40 1304 1305 1306 1307	N90	yup
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1309 1309:29	AREA C OS	c alfaro
1309:31	AD2	yeah charlie don't accept any more arrivals coming into the new york metro area at all
1309:34	AREA C OS	you got it
1309:35	AD2	until we know whats goin on alright
1309:38 1310	AD2	bye
1310:05	N90	yeah new york tracon this is joe



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AD1	joe i'm sure you've got all departures stopped i know you've got all arrivals stopped
N90	yeah we have all departures stopped now
AD1	alright
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^{*} This portion of the re-recording is not entirely clear, but this represents the best interpretation possible under the circumstances.

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Section 10. FAA Form 8020-3 Facility Accident Notification Record

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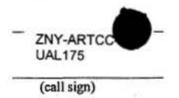
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Section 11. Personnel Statments



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Attachment A

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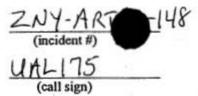
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on Sept. 11 . 2001 , at 1303 UTC. (call sign) (location)
(month/day) (year) (hour)
My name is Anthony (MI) (almer) (I (operating initials)) (first) (certified Professional Controller (operating initials)
Lam employed as an CVC by the FAA at the New York ARTCC Ronkonkoma, New York
(official title)
I was working the RA 42 position from 1255 UTC to 1319 UTC. (year)
TEXT OF STATEMENT: (use other side if necessary)
I came back from a break. The manager + deputy were in the area
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	then noticed a limited data block in the vicinity of ABE and Jo
	Flying Southeast bound of FL335. I asked Dare , F that was
	YALITS and he said yes. I GN called on some handoffs but
4	I told them we couldn't take them. I didn't want anymore
-	aircraft on our freg. There was a DAL that Dave had
-	Vectored away from UALITE'S Flight path. Dare when DAL A
-	they could accept a higher altitude to avoid WAC175. WHEN
-	Was descending of this time. Sector 56+5T were watching were
-	I then pointed out likens to Liberty South They already
-	Knew about it IGN Called again and wanted to know why
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CIC Area Brown 210 Z - 1330 Z 1303 U+Z New York New York
Operating Initials: EV 65/1102 At approximately 1240Z I observed the CPC at Sector 54 speaking to Boston Center about an aircraft AALII (Bosto LAX). Boston reported AALII as hijack, and No radio communication, No transponder and No altitude readout. The CPC at Sector 56, CPC at Sector 42 and I observed the primary target known as AALII well north of JFK tracking Southbound. Boston had reported the last known altitude of AALII was FL 290. At this time I reported the incident to the DMIC (supervisor's of My center) Desk. The OMIC told me they had already been informed of the hijacked AALII and they were observing the target on their own scope and were taking the appropriate actions.

I then observed cpc 56 and CPC 42 controllers trying to get other aircraft to confirm if the aircraft was at

FL 290.

Soon Paul Thumser Area B Sup., Mike M. (Ops manager) and other managers came to our area. Paul took over the area B Operation, and I continued to assist and coordinate with the OMIC for Paul. Approximately 12557 The CPC at Sector 42 notices UAL 175 B767 went into a coast track I believe due to a code Change to 3374.

Soon after noticing the coast track/and code changed the 33112 code in changes from a southbound heading to a EAST-bound heading. We began to believe at this time that UAL 175 is also being hijacked. I informed the OMIC about the second aircraft hijacking and physically pointed out the 33112 code the On the OMIC's personal scope to inform them of exact position of the aircraft. The OMIC's inform me it has been confirmed an aircraft has hit the world Trade center already. I went back to the area then and heard a controller state it appears UAL175 is heading right towards NY city. I then went back to the OMIC desk and heard a request for military aircraft (to scramble). scramble).

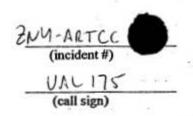
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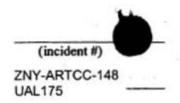
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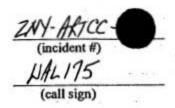
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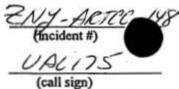
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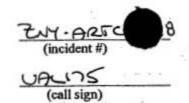
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PERSONNEL STATEMENT FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION NEW YORK AIR ROUTE TRAFFIC CONTROL CENTER

<u>ACTION</u>: Complete in accordance with FAA Order 8020.11B, Aircraft Accident and Incident Notification, Investigation, and Reporting, paragraph 75, Personnel Statements.

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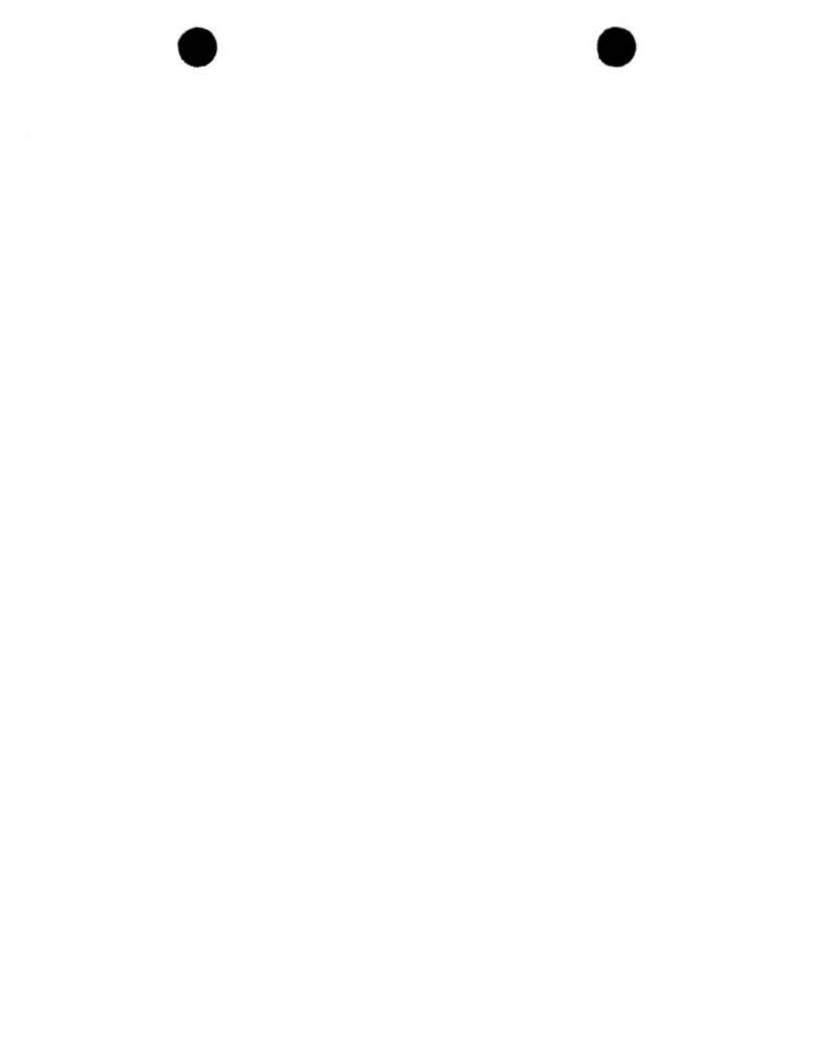
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